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ARMY MUST BE RECRUITED TO FULL STRENGTH

Folly to Ignore Means of Defense Now, Says Secretary Garrison in Report

EXPENSE IS MINOR MATTER

Badly Need Artillery and Artillery Ammunition; Air Corps Big Factor

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. That the United States army be immediately recruited to its full war strength, which would mean the addition of 25,000 men and 1,000 officers, is urged by Secretary Garrison of the war department in his annual report, presented today to President Wilson.

Such an increase would give the regular army a total of about 120,000 men, of whom 50,000 would be available as a mobile fighting force in the continental United States. The present mobile strength of 31,000, the secretary points out, soon will be cut in half by additions to the garrisons in the Canal Zone, Hawaii and the Philippines.

The report directly mentions the European war but once.

"It would be premature," it says, "to attempt now to draw the ultimate lessons from the war in Europe. It is an imperative duty, however, to heed so much of what it brings home to us as is incontrovertible and not to be changed by any event, leaving for later and more detailed and comprehensive consideration what its later developments and final conclusions may indicate."

In addition to strengthening the regular establishment, the secretary urges that steps be taken at once to create a more adequate reserve army. He dismisses as impracticable talk of immediate disarmament, and as groundless fears of militarism [illegible] the price which [illegible] in order to obtain the desirable things of life and to defend them."

Present War Strength.

The present full war strength of the United States is summarized by the report as follows:

"The organized militia of the various states totals 8,323 officers and 119,087 men. The enlisted men, therefore, required, in order to obtain the financial aid which the congress authorizes the secretary of war to extend under certain conditions, to attend 24 drills a year and five days annually in the field. If all of the national guard could be summoned in the event of war, and should all respond (an inconceivable result), and if they were all found fairly efficient in the first line—that is, the troops who would be expected to immediately take the field—we could summon a force in this country of regulars and national guard mounting to 9,518 officers and 148,432 men. (This would include only regulars of fighting force stationed in the United States proper).

"And this is absolutely all. The only other recourse would then be volunteers, and to equip, organize, train and make them ready, would take, at the smallest possible estimate, six months.

"Anyone who takes the slightest trouble to investigate will find that, in modern warfare, a prepared enemy could progress so far on the way to success in six months, if his antagonist had to wait six months to meet him, that such unprepared antagonist might as well concede defeat without contest."

Of the efficiency of the present army, Mr. Garrison says:

Excellent Though Small.

"While our existing organization is of the exceedingly small numbers already mentioned, it is unquestionably in as excellent condition as any similar number of men in any other military establishment in the world. Were it not for a desire to avoid invidious comparisons, I should say that, man for man, it is better than any similar existing military establishment in the world. I do not believe that anyone will dispute the statement that the army has never been in better condition than it is today, from the most recently enlisted man up to the highest office. There is an esprit de corps, an eagerness to constantly strive toward perfection, a willingness to undertake and satisfactorily perform any and every duty, that is most commendable and encouraging."

Passing to the need for a larger army, regular and reserve, the secretary discusses at some length peace and the use of the word "militarism," touching upon the mooted question of whether military preparation tends to prevent war.

What Militarism Is Not.

"It also seems proper, in passing, to refer to the frame of mind of those who use the word 'militarism' as the embodiment of the doctrine of brute force and loosely apply it to any organized preparations of military force, and, therefore, deprecate any adequate military preparation because it is a step in the direction of the contemned militarism.' Every nation must have

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EDISON MAIN PLANT WIPED OUT BY FIRE

Inventor Estimates Damage at West Orange at $7,000,000; $2,000,000 Insurance

FOUR HURT; 3,000 JOBLESS

Eleven Buildings of Latest Fireproof Construction Go; Laboratory Saved

WEST ORANGE, N. J., Dec. 9.—Fire destroyed virtually the entire main plant of the Edison company here tonight, causing damage estimated at nearly $7,000,000, with insurance that it is expected will reduce the loss to approximately $5,000,000.

An entire square block of modern reinforced concrete buildings, which were supposed to be fireproof, was burned out by the flames. The only building saved in the block was the laboratory containing valuable scientific machinery under the immediate superintendence of the inventor, Thomas A. Edison. Especial efforts made to save this structure were successful.

It is estimated that about 3,000 men and women will be temporarily thrown out of work because of the fire. In all, about 7,000 persons were employed at the plant, but as the storage battery building, across the street from the main plant, was saved with other buildings nearby it will be possible to keep something more than half the force employed.

Four firemen were injured in fighting the blaze and were taken to a hospital, but are not thought to be seriously hurt.

"Although I am more than 67 years of age, I'll start all over again tomorrow," said Mr. Edison. "I am pretty well burned out tonight, but tomorrow there will be a mobilization here and the debris will be cleared away, if it is cooled sufficiently, and I will [illegible] as he stood watching the flames lick up building after building of his mammoth electrical plant, started, it is thought probable, by an explosion in the inspection building, one of the smaller frame structures. This building was quickly a mass of flames and the spread of the fire to other structures nearby was rapid. The quantities of chemicals in some of the larger buildings made the work of fighting the fire extremely difficult, as the firemen were constantly in danger of injury. Explosions occurred frequently.

Employes who were at work in the various departments about the plant all escaped safely, the fire drill bell being sounded and men and women marching out in virtually perfect order.

In all, 11 buildings in the main plant went down with the fire. The buildings destroyed included those occupied by the Ned Diamond Disc company, the one occupied by the Kinetophone company and the building which housed the Bates numbering machines, together with the primary Edison battery building, the talking machine building and the administration buildings.

Mr. Edison was not at the plant when the fire broke out, but he was quickly notified and soon appeared. He assumed personal charge of directing the forces combating the flames, which were sweeping away the buildings that represented the work of years of his brain in their design, equipment and the products they sent out. He was especially anxious regarding the laboratory building, and when he found that it probably would be impossible to save the greater part of the rest of the plant, he had the efforts of the fire fighters centered upon the laboratory structure. In the meantime such of the valuable scientific apparatus, drawings, models and other treasured possessions of the inventor in this building as could be readily moved were carried to a place of safety.

After the fire it was Mr. Edison himself who made the estimate of the loss entailed. The buildings themselves and the large amount of valuable stock and delicate machinery that they contained would make the damage about $7,000,000, he said, while there was $2,000,000 insurance on the plant.

"The burned buildings, the inventor said, were supposed to be the finest examples of modern fireproof construction and pictures of them as such had been exhibited all over the country."

Von Moltke Won't Return to Front

LONDON, Dec. 9.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Amsterdam says:

"A telegram from Berlin received here says that Count von Moltke arrived in Berlin today from Hamburg much improved in health, but unable as yet to return to the front. He will be employed in some other capacity.

"His successor as chief of the general staff will be the minister of war, Lieut. Gen. von Falkenhayn, who, since Count von Moltke's illness has filled his place."

FARR HIRED 326 DEPUTIES; NO QUESTIONS

C. F. & I. Asked for Them, Armed and Paid Them; Did Not Worry the Sheriff

COMPANY THE GOVERNMENT

Dictates to Courts, Coroner and Peace Officials, Says Witness at Probe

DENVER, Dec. 9.—Three hundred twenty-six men, without investigation as to their qualifications, were hired by Sheriff Jefferson B. Farr of Huerfano county as deputy sheriffs at the request of R. F. Matteson, division superintendent of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company. These men were armed and paid by the company. The sheriff made no effort to learn if they were citizens of the state, or how long they had been in the state. He hired them as they "asked for work." This was between January 1 and September 1, 1913. The strike was called September 23, 1913.

Such was the testimony of Sheriff Farr before the federal commission of industrial relations late today.

"So far as you know, then," asked Chairman Walsh of the commission, "a red-handed murderer might have been among them and been given a commission?"

"So far as I know," echoed Mr. Farr.

He did not know if any of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company employes were appointed deputies. He sent the men to the mines to protect the mines and property. He was neutral toward the conflict.

He said it would have been useless to attempt to organize a posse to quell the miners, for no one would have responded. A thousand miners had marched through the streets. He had but three deputies. It was common talk they intended to kill him. They never attempted it.

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Prepared for Strike.

"This list shows 326 men hired as deputy sheriffs between January 1 and September 1, 1913," began Mr. Walsh, "before the strike was called."

"We expected a strike," said Farr.

"I see a great many foreign names in the list," Walsh continued; "were they examined as to citizenship in the county?"

"No," replied Farr. "A man asked for work and I gave it to him."

"How many of them worked for the company?"

Mr. Farr did not know.

"You knew the coal operators paid for them?"

Mr. Farr said he did not, but the county never paid them.

"Mr. Matteson of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company asked me to send deputies to the mines and I did it."

"Who furnished the arms?"

"They were furnished by the coal companies. I don't remember if all the deputies were armed. I furnished a good many."

"Where did you get them?"

Mr. Farr could not remember.

Mr. Walsh turned to the list of deputy sheriffs, 75 in all, hired between September 1 and October 15.

"They must have been armed," Farr commented.

Between January 1 and September 1 men were coming and going, he said. He did not know what became of their arms. They were not surrendered to him. He did not remember talking with the company, but he understood that the men were paid $3.50 per day.

"Did not Mr. Matteson tell you the company was paying them?"

Mr. Farr remembered that he thought he had an understanding.

Might Have Hired Murderers.

"So a man might have been fresh, red-handed from a murder and secured a commission so far as your investigation was concerned; you made no examination as to qualification and they were paid by the company. These 326 armed men were turned loose on your community before the strike," summed up Mr. Walsh.

"They weren't turned loose, they were sent to the mines," persisted Farr. "They were to report to me of any violence."

John McQuarrie, former undersheriff of Huerfano county, and J. H. Patterson, deputy clerk of the district court at Walsenburg, preceded Farr on the stand.

McQuarrie, at present a special agent of the Colorado & Southern railroad, had resigned after a misunderstanding with Farr, he testified. During his service under Farr the office of sheriff was dependent politically and industrially upon the Colorado Fuel and Iron company.

Coroner's juries were selected in accident cases by the coroner, in conference with mine superintendents, after which the deputy sheriff served summons. In damage cases, too, he said the injured man was never consulted as to the jury selected. In nine killings he did not remember of a case where the victim was not blamed for carelessness.

Sheriff Farr kept the district clear as much as possible of union agitators. Sheriff Farr had asked him, he said, to "frame" John R. Lawson, when he

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BRITISH SINK THREE GERMAN WAR VESSELS

Cruisers That Destroyed Two English Ships Off Chile Sent Down With Men

CHASE 2 MORE, DAMAGED

Big Squadron Under Command of Chief of Staff Secretly Scours Atlantic

LONDON, Dec. 9.—A British squadron under command of Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee, chief of the war staff, engaged a German squadron under Admiral Count von Spee off the Falkland islands in the south Atlantic yesterday and won a victory which is being acclaimed throughout England.

The armored cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau and the protected cruiser Leipzig, three of the German warships which had been menacing British shipping and part of the squadron which sank the British cruisers Good Hope and Monmouth in the Pacific November 1, were destroyed while the cruisers Dresden and Nurnberg, the two other vessels which composed the German squadron, made off during the fight and, according to latest accounts, are being pursued. Two colliers were captured.

The announcement of this engagement and victory, which is the most important naval engagement of the war, with the exception of that off Helgoland last August, was made this evening in a statement by the admiralty of less than 100 words, as follows:

"At 7:30 a. m. on December 8 the Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Nurnberg, Leipzig and Dresden were sighted near the Falkland islands by a British squadron under Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee.

"An action followed, in the course of which [illegible] the flag [illegible] Spee, the [illegible] were sunk. The Dresden and Nurnberg made off during the action and are being pursued.

"Two colliers also were captured.

"The vice admiral reports that the British casualties are very few in number.

"Some survivors have been rescued from the Gneisenau and Leipzig."

The statement makes reference to some survivors from the Gneisenau and the Leipzig, but no mention is made of any of the crew of the Scharnhorst, which was the flagship of the German admiral, being saved and it is thus presumed that Count von Spee, his officers and men went down fighting.

The British casualties were light, but beyond the fact that the British squadron was commanded by Vice Admiral Sturdee, no information is vouchsafed regarding the ships engaged and the newspapers are enjoined not to speculate, as "other combinations may be effected."

The British squadron which engaged the Germans left England without the knowledge of the general public and until his name was mentioned it was believed that Vice Admiral Sturdee was serving in home waters. The fact that he was taken from the post of chief of the war staff is indicative of the determination of the British government to clear the Pacific and South Atlantic of all German warships. It is believed, therefore, that the British commander is at the head of a formidable squadron.

In addition to the Dresden and Nurnberg, only one German warship — the Karlsruhe, is now unaccounted for in those waters.

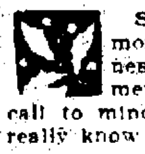
Kaiser's Condition Still Unchanged

LONDON, Dec. 10—(Thursday)—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Amsterdam says:

"The latest bulletin issued in Berlin says that Emperor William's condition is unchanged and he has been unable to leave his bed. His fever has not decreased.

"The emperor received a report of the military situation, but was too weak to give any instructions."

HERE AT HOME



Stop today—take just a moment from your business or social engagements. No doubt you can call to mind someone who doesn't really know what a Christmas dinner means, someone else whose coal bin is nearly empty and to whom it is a grave question how or when more is to come. And when you do think of someone in this predicament, take just another moment's time and send the name and address and any details you can to Santa Claus, care of The Gazette. If you know the name and address of any sick or poor children who are not likely to have much of a Christmas—send along their names, too. Do it today, for the time is growing short, and there will be plenty of work to do at the last moment.

BRITISH NAVAL VICTORY AND DEFEAT OF TURKISH ARMY BY INDIAN TROOPS GIVE THE ALLIES MARKED ADVANTAGE

English Win Control of Persian Gulf by Forcing Turks to Surrender; In West, French Are in Stronger Positions; Russians Now Admit Occupation of Lodz

GERMANS ADVANCE ON WARSAW FROM TWO DIRECTIONS; SUCCESS DOUBTFUL

As Result of Holy War, Serious Rising Against Italians in Tripoli Is Threatened; Servian Army Reorganized Under King Peter Now Making Stubborn Stand Against Austrians

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The victory off the Falkland islands, where the British squadron sank the German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Leipzig, and the success of the Indian troops on the Gulf of Persia, where they compelled the surrender of a Turkish army, have for the moment overshadowed, so far as England is concerned, at any rate, the larger events which have taken place on the continent of Europe.

The sinking of the German cruisers materially lessens the menace to British shipping, while the success of the Indian forces has given Great Britain control of the Persian gulf, the delta of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers, and threatens that part of Turkey on which German railway builders have had their eyes set for many years.

With this good news for the allies comes what is considered here as a favorable French combination of the operations in Flanders and France. There is also a somewhat clearer view of what is taking place along the Russo-German front.

Allies on Offensive.

The withdrawal of German troops from the west to strengthen their armies in the east has enabled the allies to resume the initiative along the front reaching from the Swiss border to the North sea, and, while they have not made any marked advance, they have been able, according to official announcement, to organize and consolidate the positions won in the last few days. This naturally has not been done without opposition from the Germans, who claim to have inflicted heavy losses on the French, particularly in the Argonne and north of Nancy.

Flanders is at present considered fairly safe from German attacks, which, when they do materialize, it is believed here, will be directed more at the French center.

The Russians have at last admitted the occupation of Lodz by the Germans, but, in the official statements issued today, say they evacuated the city 15 hours before the German occupation and that they changed their positions without the loss of a single man.

It is apparent from the various official reports that there are converging German movements on Warsaw from the north and the center, combined with outflanking movements to the southeast of Cracow. The success of any of these movements would require the Russians to turn back from Cracow, which they have not done thus far. As a matter of fact, the Russians assert that they have inflicted a "grave defeat" on an Austro-German force which tried to get around their left wing, although a later Austrian report indicates partial success in this region.

Trouble in Tripoli.

Reports of the serious illness of the German emperor, coming through Amsterdam, have not been confirmed. It is known the emperor is suffering from bronchial catarrh, to which he is subject, and that he is compelled to remain in bed. He is able, however, to receive reports on the situation from the general staff.

As a result of the sultan's proclamation of a holy war, a serious rising is threatened against the Italians in Tripoli, and the Turkish ambassador at Rome has hastened to assure the Italian government that the sublime porte is trying to avert it.

The new Servian cabinet, which is composed of all parties, at the opening of parliament today assured the members of its intention to carry on the war to the end, in the belief that the sacrifices the country has made will be recognized by the allies when the war is ended.

The reorganized Servian army under King Peter is now making a stubborn stand against the further advance of the Austrians and, according to Nish reports, has inflicted heavy losses on the invaders.

U.S. TROOPS TO RETURN MEXICAN FIRE FROM NACO

DETERMINED TO END DANGER ON BORDER

Rushing Three Batteries to Naco, Ariz.; Will Fire Over Town at Indians

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—If the contending Mexican forces opposite Naco, Ariz., do not cease firing into American territory, the three batteries of field artillery sent to the international line by President Wilson and Secretary Garrison will be ordered to return the fire.

This is the determination of the United States government. It became known tonight, after a full discussion of the question by President Wilson with his cabinet yesterday. No specific orders have been given as yet to Brig. Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, who was directed to proceed to Naco with the field artillery, but while he is en route there officials expect an answer to the sharp warning which has been given to General Maytorena, commanding the Villa troops, and General Hill of the Carranza forces that bullets and shells must not fall on American soil. Similar warning has been communicated to General Carranza and General Villa.

No act of "aggression" is contemplated as was explained in a statement issued by the White house today, but officials draw a distinct line between aggressive and defensive action. For the 11 troops of cavalry and three batteries of field artillery to cross the Mexican line or open fire first would constitute an act of aggression, but to remain on American soil and return the fire of the Mexicans is, in the opinion of high officials, a measure of defense fully justified under the circumstances and not an act of war or invasion.

Could Fire Over Town.

Although it is not generally known, Brig. Gen. Hugh Scott, now chief of staff of the army, when in command at El Paso, Tex., a year ago, placed his artillery in position along the Rio Grande and delivered the same warning which was heeded.

It was explained at the war department that the range of the artillery ordered to Naco is from five to six miles. Shells could be sent over the Mexican town without injuring the residents, into the lines of the Mexican faction which insisted on firing into American territory. This is the plan of officials should warnings prove futile.

The action of the Washington government constitutes a precedent for the future and was taken to mean that firing into American territory from any point along the border would be met by similar steps. Many telegrams had come from Governor Hunt of Arizona and residents of Naco telling of the injuries and deaths resulting from stray bullets and at yesterday's cabinet meeting, where the telegrams were discussed, it was understood that the determination to put an end to such occurrences was emphatically expressed.

Rafael Zubaran Capmany, Carranza agent here, issued a statement tonight charging the Maytorena forces at Naco with responsibility for the firing across the border and challenging Governor Maytorena on behalf of General Hill, the Carranza commander, to withdraw into the interior of Mexico for a pitched battle.

BLAZE DESTROYS MANITOU SCENIC INCLINE STATION

Loss of $4,500 Occasioned in Burning of Pavilion and Property; Had $1,500 Insurance

Fire originating from a stove destroyed the lower station and pavilion of the Mount Manitou Scenic railway in Manitou at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, causing a loss of $4,500, with $1,500 insurance. In addition to the destruction of the buildings, one of the company's cars was destroyed and several hundred dollars' worth of property in the office, including a large assortment of postal cards.

The flames were discovered by workmen at the Hydro-Electric company's plant and the Manitou volunteer department was called out, but owing to the fierceness of the blaze, nothing could be done to check the fire. All nearby buildings were watched to prevent the fire from spreading. Workmen had been painting car seats in the office for several days and had started a fire in the stove. This is the only solution of the cause of the blaze.

Dr. N. M. Brumback, president of the company, said yesterday that work would begin immediately on a new building which will be finished early next spring.

COLLIER JUPITER DAMAGED IN BIG ATLANTIC STORM

Biggest Electric Vessel Afloat, Just Completed for Navy, Making for New York

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—In a wireless dispatch to the navy department tonight, Lieutenant Commander Kempff, commanding the big electric collier Jupiter, announced that his ship had been damaged by the storm off the coast and was proceeding to New York. The vessel left Philadelphia for Boston, December 4.

The wireless said:

"Ship safe. All well. Owing to damage by gale, thick weather and absence of Nantucket lightship proceeding to New York."

COLORADO CITY ANNEXATION TO COME UP NEXT SPRING

Joint Commission to Decide on Basis for Joining Two Cities; Several Perplexing Problems

The annexation of Colorado City to Colorado Springs by the adoption of an ordinance by both cities next spring is the probable recommendation of the joint commission appointed from both cities to consider a basis for the action. The work of preparing the basis for annexation will be outlined at a meeting of the commission next week, and the question will come up at the elections next spring. The members of the commission from Colorado Springs are Thomas C. Turner, Dr. P. O. Hanford, who is chairman, and J. G. Dern; and from Colorado City are Martin Drake, secretary of the commission; C. A. Sheetz and W. L. Phelps.

Before final action can be taken in the question there are a number of important matters to be settled. The commission feels that Colorado City would be benefited by saving the expense in city government; Colorado Springs would have more territory and both would profit in various ways. Geographically the cities are one. The present fire station at Colorado City would be retained and probably the police station would be a substation of the Colorado Springs department. A readjustment of street names and numbers is included in the proposed annexation plan. The maintenance of the Colorado City parks and the cemetery is proposed, the cemetery being self-supporting.

The questions that have not been settled are those of the water situation and funded indebtedness. The south side of Colorado City has a separate water system, the stock of which is partly owned by Colorado City and partly by an estate. The question of extending the Colorado Springs system to take care of south side residents of Colorado City, or the purchase of the south side system, is one of the knotty problems of the situation. The Colorado Springs system is bonded, but is now self-supporting, and this would not cause any additional tax on Colorado City users.

Although Colorado City has no bonded indebtedness it has a floating debt which is the same as Colorado Springs' per capita bonded debt. It is probable that the annexation ordinance will provide for a special levy on Colorado City property alone to wipe out that indebtedness, and that Colorado Springs' indebtedness could be handled in a similar manner.

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TWO KILLED, 100 INJURED IN N. Y. ELEVATED WRECK

Fire Breaks Out and Many Hurt in Scramble for Safety; Fight Flames From Roofs

NEW YORK, Dec 9—Two men were killed and more than 100 persons were injured here tonight in a rear-end collision between two crowded elevated railroad trains in upper Eighth avenue.

Fire broke out in both trains after the crash and most of those hurt received their injuries in the ensuing scramble for safety by the passengers

Firemen fought the blaze in the trains, which were 75 feet above the street, from the roofs of houses

The dead are Joseph Collins, a guard, and Gottlieb Minich, a clerk A defective controller of the local train which failed to operate the brakes is said to have caused the collision

PREVENT WAR BY CURBING STATES, ADVISES TAFT

SOMERVILLE, Mass Dec 9 - Assumption by congress of authority to prevent states from violating by laws or lawless violence United States treaties would do more to prevent the possibility of war between this nation and another than increasing the army and navy, former President William H. Taft declared tonight in an address before the Hepterean club

17 INJURED, 4 FATALLY, IN FRISCO WRECK IN MO.

St. Louis Train, Making Up Time, Is Derailed; Only Engine Remains on Track

JOPLIN, Mo, Dec 10—(Thursday) —Seventeen persons were injured, four of them probably fatally, when St Louis & San Francisco passenger train No 9, running from St Louis to Wichita, Kan, was derailed four miles east of Joplin early today. All but the engine left the rails the mail car baggage car and combination smoking and day coach going down a 20-foot embankment. The chair car and sleeper remained upright.

The train was running behind time and was rounding a curve when derailed

ONLY VICIOUS PERSON WILL BELIEVE U. S. DEFENSES BAD

NEW YORK, Dec 9.— The person who would believe that the defenses of this country are in other than splendid condition is either ignorant or vicious, declared Representative Shirley of Kentucky, chairman of the fortifications committee in the house, in an address at the annual dinner of the New York Southern society tonight.

The first Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was founded in England in 1824 by Mr. Martin M P

KURNA ON PERSIAN GULF SURRENDERED TO INDIAN TROOPS

British Control Richest Part of Asiatic Turkey After Defeating Suchi Bey

LONDON, Dec. 9.—It is officially announced that Suchi Bey, late governor of Basra, Asiatic Turkey, commander of the Turkish forces at Kurna, yesterday surrendered unconditionally with his troops to the Indian expeditionary force, which is operating at the head of the Persian gulf

Kurna subsequently was occupied by the British, who are now in complete control of the country from the junction of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers to the sea and of the richest part of the fertile delta

The Indian office, in a dispatch describing the operations of the British forces on the Persian gulf, says:

"A reconnaissance of the enemy's position at Kurna was made December 5 by Col. G S Frazer, with the One Hundred and Tenth Mahratta light infantry. The enemy was encountered on the left bank of the Tigris opposite Kurna. They were promptly attacked and driven across the river, losing heavily Two guns and 70 prisoners, including three Turkish officers, were captured

"Kurna was found to be strongly held by guns and infantry, and the British, finding no means of crossing the Tigris withdrew to their original bivouac

"The following day reinforcements were sent from Basra under Brig Gen Charles Irwin Fry and captured Manera cleared the left bank of the Tigris and took three guns and 100 prisoners, including three officers

"On December 8 the British crossed the river and the next day Suchi Bey surrendered

"The British casualties during the whole of these operations amounted to one British officer killed and three wounded with 49 Indians of the rank and file killed and 20 wounded."

The government estimates that in addition to the loss of $200,000,000 in the on vegetables is $53,000,000, on fruit $27,000,000 and on other crops enough more to bring the total loss up to $580,000,000, all in one year.

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HIRED 326 DEPUTIES; ASKED NO QUESTIONS

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was arrested in 1906, by slipping a revolver into his pocket and arrest him for carrying concealed weapons Lawson was arrested by a city policeman afterward. His "racket" with Farr was over the escape of a prisoner.

McQuarrie said that among the men gathered by Farr for deputy sheriffs in the recent strike were 46 from El Paso, brought in by Deputy Sheriff Webster and made deputies within 24 hours.

Got Religion by Mail.

Mr. Patterson submitted a list from the records of the district court at Walsenburg showing that in 90 cases of death by accident, one was charged to the management of the mine. In the records for 23 years of damage suits for injuries no decision had been rendered against the company,

The election precincts of union mines, he said, were changed so that the miners had to travel 18 miles to vote.

"Does your company develop a species of feudalism?" asked Commissioner Garretson of the federal commission on industrial relations, of E. M. Weitzel, manager of the fuel department of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company, when the latter resumed his testimony early in the day.

"Doesn't it supply its own brand of religion, its selection of literature, its kind of education and school teachers?"

"That would be true if the conditions were as you state them," objected Weitzel, "but the miners can get what other literature they want through the postoffice. They get tons of it."

"Get their religion, politics, literature by parcel post?" suggested Garretson. "You have suggested that the peace from industrial unrest in the southern Colorado district is like the peace of God—passes all understanding, doesn't it smack of the cemetery?"

"No; I didn't say there was no unrest," protested Weitzel. "No man is satisfied. I am not satisfied, neither are you.

The witness testified that a saloon building at Primero cost $3,000 and rented for $1,500 a year. "I have no power to close that saloon," he said. "But I think I shall have.

Accidents at the company's mines, he said, were considerably below the average for the state and for the United States. The geological formation was responsible for the extra hazardous nature of mining in Colorado.

Small Mines Boost Figures.

One unionized mine operated on state coal lands, he said, had only one shaft 1,100 feet deep, by which men were sent down Wooden trap-doors were being used he said, and no attempt had been made to obey the laws. He cited the case of one unionized mine which he declared killed 20 per cent of its men in 1913

"These are the mines which increase the figures for Colorado," he added.

The witness' objection to the United Mine Workers, he said was not because it is an organization but because there is something fundamentally wrong with the organization It teaches class hatred—that the miner must keep away from his employer."

Commissioner Lennon observed that the foreign miners brought class ideas with them and that the union was not necessarily responsible for these ideas

If Mr. Garretson was in Mr. White's place as head of the United Mine Workers, would you do business with him?" he continued.

"If his teachings were the same I would not, replied Weitzel

ALLIES OCCUPY DIXMUDE, SAYS UNCONFIRMED REPORT

LONDON Nov. 10 (Thursday).—Unconfirmed reports which have reached Amsterdam according to the correspondent of the Morning Post, state that Dixmude has been occupied by the allies

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AMERICAN NAVY IS STRONGER THAN ANY EXCEPT THE BRITISH

Germany Forging Ahead, However, Says Fletcher; Could Beat Japan On Sea

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The ability of the American navy to successfully meet the war fleets of any nation in the world except Great Britain was asserted today by Rear Admiral Fletcher, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, before the house naval affairs committee Frankly admitting the overwhelming superiority of Britain's sea force, the admiral said that possibility of conflict between the United States and Great Britain was so remote that he did not believe in a naval policy for this country designed to control the ocean as against England.

Admiral Fletcher was under examination all day by the committee at the first public hearings on a naval appropriation bill held in many years. He was plied with questions about the conditions of the navy, judged by lessons of the European war, and in the course of the day made many references to Great Britain, Germany, Russia, Japan and the Philippines. Although confidently declaring that the American navy was overmatched only by that of England, he added that if this country continued to build only two battleships a year Germany, on the basis of her present construction program, soon would be far in the lead.

Asked specifically about the Philippines, the admiral would not say that the American fleet alone could successfully defend Hawaii and the Philippines in a conflict with Japan, though there was no doubt in his mind of the ability of this nation to control the seas in a naval conflict with Japan

Dreadnoughts Still Best Bet.

Ultimate naval success, he continued, still rested with dreadnoughts and he asserted that submarines would not seriously affect the "vital principles" of naval warfare. He admitted, however, that from a foreign army standpoint it was possible to send submarines across the Atlantic to attack warships on the Atlantic coast. In the event of war, he said, all American battleships available could be made ready for action within a week.

Secretary Daniels will appear before the committee tomorrow. Commander Sterling, whom Admiral Fletcher said was responsible for the care of all the submarines of the navy, has been asked to come from Boston Friday to testify regarding the condition of the submarines, an unusual number of which are now out of active service.

The examination today developed the admission that of 17 submarines on the Atlantic coast, including Panama, five are detained on permanent station at the isthmus, four are being overhauled at the Norfolk navy yard, four are just going into the navy yards for repairs and three are undergoing alterations by the contractors as a result of defects found after they were put in commission. Incidentally, however, Admiral Fletcher testified that all of these could be made ready for service on short notice.

13 MINERS KILLED WHEN CAGE DROPS IN SCRANTON SHAFT

Carriage Overloaded and Collapses; One Saves Self by Grabbing Bar

SCRANTON, Pa Dec. 9 —Thirteen mint workers were killed at the Truitt shaft of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Coal company's Diamond colliery here today, when the platform of a mine cage on which they were being lowered into the mine collapsed and dropped 200 feet to the bottom of the shaft A fourteenth man saved himself by clinging to the cage. The accident occurred when the men were going to work.

John Belinski, a driver boss, and the only man in the cage to escape alive, declared that he had always had an instinctive fear of mine carriages, and that he had made it a practice for several years to cling to the side bars every time he rode up and down. After the floor of the cage dropped he clung to the rod and then climbed down the shafting to safety

What caused the collapse of the carriage has not yet been determined, but that it carried four more men than is allowed under the law was admitted by the company officials. They were at a loss, however, to account for the violation The law limiting the capacity of a mine carriage to 10 men was passed in consequence of an accident at the same colliery in 1868, when a cable parted and dropped the cage several hundred feet, killing 13 of the 15 men aboard

It was at first believed that today's accident was caused by an explosion of dynamite, but investigation failed to show any evidence of an explosion. While the bodies of the victims were badly mangled by the wreckage of the carriage falling on them, they bore no marks to indicate that there had been an explosion R. A. Phillips, general superintendent of the company, said, however, that one of the men might have dropped a small stick of dynamite or a box of detonators which would have caused an explosion of sufficient force to shatter the platform of the cage

Coroner W M. Lynch and S J. Phillips, a mine inspector, are conducting an investigation.

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adequate force to protect itself from domestic insurrection, to enforce its laws, and to repel invasions, that is, safety within that has similar characteristics to those of a self-respecting man If it prepares and maintains more military force than is necessary for the purpose just named, then it is subject to the conviction, in the public opinion of the world, of having embraced 'militarism,' unless it intends aggression for a cause which the public opinion of the world conceives to be a righteous one To the extent, however, that it confines its military preparedness to the purposes first mentioned, there is neither warrant nor justification in characterizing such action as militarism.'

"Equally useless, in my view, is the discussion frequently indulged in as to whether military preparation tends or does not tend to avoid war. I term such discussion 'useless,' because, so far as we are concerned, whatever conclusion might be reached thereon would not affect our duty. Since it is not in mind to suggest any military preparation of the nation's resources beyond that absolutely essential under existing conditions, the question of whether more extensive preparation for the purpose of avoiding war would have that effect or not is futile.

Comparison of Armies.

After enumerating the vast areas of continental United States and those of "our other territorial responsibilities which must be considered," the report says the total strength of the army, June 30 1914 was 94,482 Of this number 30 890 were available as a mobile force in continental United States, the rest being employed in the Philippines, Hawaii or the Canal Zone, or comprising hospital, quartermasters, or other auxiliary services. In the near future the report states, additional force will be sent to the Canal Zone and elsewhere, reducing the mobile force on the continent exclusive of coast artillery to 24 600 men. Even with the increased force there, Secretary Garrison declares the Panama garrison will be inadequate, in his opinion.

A table of the 13 leading countries of the world showing area, population, peace strength of the army and the total trained war strength is included in the report It discloses that with an area and population surpassed only by Great Britain and her colonies and by Russia, the United States stands tenth in the peace footing of her army and twelfth in trained reserves. Against Russia's 4,500,000 trained men the United States has 225 000, including the Philippine Scouts, and Belgium with 180 000 is the only nation below that figure Switzerland, next above, has 275 000 Japan 1,200,000.

"Whatever else may properly be drawn from the facts as disclosed" the report says, "it cannot be disputed that it is imperative that we have in this country a very much larger percentage of men who have had proper military training and who are in a position to instantly respond to the call of the nation.'

Need Material.

Of war material the report says

'We have on hand in reserve sufficient small arms, small-arm ammunition and equipment, roughly figuring for the 500,000 men that would have to be called into the field in any large emergency We have nothing like sufficient artillery and artillery ammunition

'This has been urgently presented in all of the recent reports of the head of this department and the chiefs of staff, and congress has from time to time recently increased the appropriations for these purposes There is universal agreement among all who know that artillery is an essential feature of modern warfare, and that a proper proportion thereof to any army is indispensable if success is to be even hoped for Is it imperative that the manufacture of artillery and artillery ammunition should progress as rapidly as is possible until a proper reserve thereof has been obtained.

"In present-day strategy and tactics the aviation corps has bid fair to become the eyes of the army, and a general commanding an army without an adequate flying corps against an army of equal strength in other respects but with an adequate flying corps, would be in the position of a blind man contending against a man with sight. The present congress made a good start toward putting aviation on a substantial basis This work should be followed up and consistently pressed.

Garrison's Recommendations.

"The universal utilization of motor transportation in the present war has vastly increased the mobility of armies. It is necessary that we keep abreast of the times in utilizing motor vehicles for army transportation. It might be well worth while to devise ways and means of organizing into a volunteer motor transportation reserve the motor vehicles adaptable to military use now in the hands of private citizens."

Transmitting his recommendations Mr. Garrison writes in part:

"My recommendation of what we should immediately do is to fill up the existing organizations which compose the aggregate mobile army force, just mentioned, to their full strength. This would require 25,000 men. In addition to the enlisted men just mentioned, we should be authorized to obtain 1,000 more officers. The legislation to accomplish these purposes would be of the very simplest character, being merely authorizations to the department to do these things.

"An increase of the enlisted personnel of the army by 25,000 would accomplish threefold results. It would as before mentioned, bring up to full strength the existing units of the mobile army in continental United States and thus apply a more adequate force. Second, it would afford training for the officers in the command of such units as they must command in time of war and should prevent, as far as the regular army is concerned, the crowding of the ranks with raw levies which always disorganize and render inefficient the organizations into which they come. Third, it would be a wise investment from the standpoint of economy, in that no material increase of overhead charges would be necessary, and the addition of these men could be effected at a per capita cost to the government of about one-third the per capita cost under existing conditions.

Would Double Force.

"By the time these 25,000 men could be procured the mobile forces in the United States as hereinbefore pointed out, would number 24,602; so that after the addition the mobile army in continental United States would consist of 49,602 men.

"With the army thus increased we would then be able to make the next necessity, which is absolutely imperative, and that, the preparation of a reserve. The present legislation with respect to a reserve has proven utterly useless for the purpose, it having produced in 24 months only 16 men, and there is little or no hope that it will ever properly accomplish its purpose. The reasons why it will not do so it is not profitable to discuss

"I am firmly convinced that if we can use the standing army as a school through which to pass men who come into it, with the knowledge that if they are proficient they can be discharged at any time after a year or 18 months, we will begin at once to build up the necessary reserve, and will, for the first time in the military history of this country, have something approximating a balanced organization.

Same Applies to States.

"I am therefore firmly convinced that we should have immediate legislation dealing with the matter of enlistment and reserve. A practically similar provision should exist in every state which maintains an organized militia It is just as essential that the organized militia should have a proper reserve to fill up its ranks as it is that the regular army should

"I am convinced with equal firmness that we should adopt some one of most of the methods which have been suggested for the training of more civilians to become officers in case of necessity The potentiality of the student military camps and of the schools and colleges at which military training is obtainable suggests a fruitful source of accomplishing this purpose.

"I realize that one of the matters which will be much debated in connection with this whole subject will be the matter of expense I do not overlook this, but I think that those who are charged with responsibility on behalf of the public should realize the greatness of that responsibility; should realize the unanswerable indictment that will lie against them if they shrink from incurring expense for what is vital to the nation When one has reached the conclusion, as I have that a minimum of military preparedness is essential, the question of its cost is secondary and cannot be permitted to be the determining factor No citizen will or can properly object to the expenditure of money for vital national purposes."

PREPAREDNESS FOR WAR DENOUNCED BY BRYAN

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 9.—Preparedness for war as means of preventing armed conflict was denounced here tonight by Secretary of State Bryan addressing the annual convention of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

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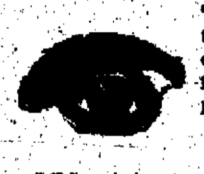

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MYRON HERRICK IS GIVEN GRAND CROSS OF LEGION OF HONOR

First American to Receive Highest Honor France Can Confer

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor is on its way across the sea from the president of France to Myron T. Herrick, in recognition of Mr. Herrick's services to the French people. While American ambassador to France, Mr. Herrick was decorated yesterday with a red ribbon emblematic of the cross, by the captain of the steamship Rochambeau, acting on wireless orders from the French ambassador at Washington, who said he was acting under instructions of President Poincare.

The decoration was pinned upon Mr. Herrick's coat as soon as the steamer reached the three-mile sea limit of American sovereignty. Announcement of the bestowal of the honor was made today when the Rochambeau docked.

The Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor is the highest honor which the French government can bestow. There are, including Mr. Herrick, only 45 living persons throughout the world who have been thus decorated.

Reports of Cabinet Officers

STRENGTH OF U. S. SORELY TRIED M'ADOO

Cooperation of Bankers and Business Only Averts Gigantic Panic

EXTEND WAR REVENUE TAX

Outlines Means of Forcing Payment of Income Tax; Receipts Drop

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Secretary McAdoo, in his annual report to congress today, outlined at length the steps taken by the treasury department to restore confidence and support American business, shaken and weakened by the European war.

"A catastrophe of calamitous proportions," said the report, "was narrowly averted. It is a tribute to the economic strength and soundness of the country and to the patriotism of its people in every class and walk of life that the shock has been so admirably withstood. A panic of cataclysmic proportions might easily have resulted and if it had the injury to the country would have been incalculable and many years would have been required to overcome its effects."

By formation of the $100,000,000 gold pool, the $135,000,000 cotton loan fund, issues of emergency currency and the deposit of crop moving money in national banks, the situation was relieved, and confidence was revived, the report says.

"Through the prompt and effective action of the treasury department and with the cordial and intelligent cooperation of the banking and business interests of the country, the danger has been averted," says the report.

Few Bank Failures.

"Confidence has been restored and specie payments have been maintained in the face of the world. At no time since the war broken out has there been, to the knowledge of this department, with the exception of a few isolated cases, a failure on the part of any solvent national bank to honor its checks in currency or money or to meet its obligations. The general revival of business throughout the country is the best evidence that confidence has been restored. There is every reason why the country should look forward to the future with confidence so far as its trade, commerce and industry are concerned."

In spite of drains from Europe, where the nation owed about $450,000,000 at the outbreak of the war, Secretary McAdoo says that the treasury's gold holdings show a reduction of only $83,656,279 on October 31, 1914, compared with holdings of $1,258,218,357 on June 13, 1913.

Secretary McAdoo referred in some detail to his action against banks which, he publicly announced, were hoarding up money, piling up reserves and charging high interest rates without good cause. It was a disagreeable duty, he said, but one which resulted in a determination on his own part to withdraw government deposits from banks not using such funds for the benefit of their communities.

Reviews Work of Department.

"This action," he said, "had a salutary influence, because it was followed by a general loosening up of credits; and while it is not for a moment contended that the improvement is attributable wholly to the action of the department, it is, nevertheless, believed to have had a beneficial effect upon the situation."

Mr. McAdoo's report is devoted largely to a review of the activities of his department for the fiscal year ending on June 30, before the war began, but he included detailed statements of the treasury's participation in various post-war problems.

The secretary makes several recommendations. He suggests to congress that the war revenue tax law should not expire December 31, 1915, but that its operation should be extended until the end of the European war, by proclamation of the president.

Discussing the income tax law, the secretary advocates a change in the law so that persons having a gross income of $3,000 be required to make a return instead of those persons with a net income of that amount or over.

"Such an amendment," he says, "would simplify the administration of the law, assure more complete returns and materially increase the income tax revenue, and save an immense amount of expense to which the government is now subjected in maintaining a sufficient corps of inspectors and investigators to hunt out the people who have failed to make returns." He recommends also the repeal of the provision by which taxes do not accrue until 10 days after the close of the fiscal year and would make them accrue July 1, each year.

Law Proved Satisfactory.

Although the law did not produce the revenue expected, the secretary says, it has proved satisfactory and explains the administration of a law of that character has many obstacles to overcome at the outset and that folk are accustomed and must be educated to it.

Taking the tables of returns, Mr. McAdoo infers that there must be many who failed to pay the tax.

"It is clear," says he, "that there were thousands of persons who failed altogether to make a return as required by law. The remedy for this, of course, is to have the collectors of internal revenue in each district make an assessment upon those, who, in the opinion of the collector are liable to the tax and, in addition, to make such investigations as may be necessary to determine who in each district have failed to make proper returns. The experience of the department shows that many erroneous and faulty returns have been made.

The work of discovering such cases, he adds, is being pushed forward with all possible rapidity.

"The collection of revenue for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1914," says Mr. McAdoo, "shows the success of the tariff act of October 3, 1913, as a revenue measure." He goes on to show that this act was estimated as the producer of $270,000,000 in its first year and that there was actually collected $292,320,014. That, however, included nine months under the new law and three months under the Payne-Aldrich law. He shows that the total raised under the new law with its corporations and income tax features was $363,701,289, or $9,803,593 in excess of the previous year's receipts under the preceding revenue

Secretary McAdoo estimates the receipts of the government for the fiscal year 1915, ending June 30, at $728,000,000, including $220,000,000 from customs and $54,000,000 from the emergency war tax. Exclusive of the Panama canal, he places disbursements at $710,000,000 for the current year. Counting upon $28,000,000 for the canal out of the treasury's general fund, he places the excess of disbursements at $10,000,000.

For the fiscal year, which ends June 30, 1916, Mr. McAdoo says he expects receipts amounting to $735,000,000 with customs bringing $240,000,000 and the emergency war tax $44,000,000.

REDFIELD URGES ECONOMY IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE

Direct Attention to Wise Use of Funds, Not Totals, He Advises Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Economy in the public service is the keynote of the annual report of Secretary Redfield of the department of commerce. In summarizing the work of the many bureaus of his department, he undertakes to suggest a wise use of governmental funds.

"If attention were directed not to totals but to the wise use of funds," said Secretary Redfield, "so that the latter should be made to produce the utmost possible service, much would be accomplished that is now hardly suggested or attempted. Every industrial manager knows that economy requires his plant to be kept up in the best productive condition. It is not economical, in order to save a total expenditure, to allow the plant to run down and then have to build it up again. This does not save money, but loses it. Economy of this kind is not economy at all. It merely involves a cycle of expensive changes, costly in themselves and more costly in their results.

"If, instead of arguing upon totals, without regard to whether the money which comprises these totals has been spent wisely or unwisely, care were centered on the need for expenditure and for the wisdom with which that need is met, money could be saved that will otherwise continue to be lost."

Foreign Trade Must Be Kept.

Summarizing the work of the last year in promoting foreign trade, Mr. Redfield says:

"The United States is one of the three foremost commercial nations. It is essential to its prosperity that it should be inferior to no other country in its governmental system for the fostering and protection of its trade, both domestic and foreign. Such a system is now firmly established. In foreign countries the admirable trade development work which the consular officers of the department of state carry on is now to be supplemented through the service of a corps of commercial attaches, which will fill a gap heretofore existing in our organization as compared with that of other nations. These, with the group of special traveling investigators or commercial agents who continue the valuable technical studies of markets abroad, constitute for the first time in the foreign field a complete and well-balanced system of federal aid to trade in foreign lands.

"The special fund for promoting commerce in Central and South America, of which 80 per cent is allotted to field investigation and the remainder in Washington, should be continued and supplemented, as a permanent occupation of Latin-American markets is the only wise policy for our government to support."

GOVERNMENT MUST ALLAY WEST'S FEARS

Secretary Lane Discusses the Problems of This Part of Nation in Report

DEVELOPMENT BILLS PASSED

Outlines Policy for Transforming Indian Into Successful Citizen

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—A definite constructive policy for the Indian, by which he may be transformed from a ward of the government to a successful and integral part of the American citizenry, a discussion of the development of the west, and a review of the achievements of the last year, are contained in the annual report of Secretary Franklin K. Lane of the interior department, sent today to President Wilson.

"Three things," says Secretary Lane, "of unusual purport have marked the life of this department during the past year—the passing of the Cherokee nation, the opening of Alaska, and the advancement of a series of measures aimed to promote the further development of the west. These things are apparently unrelated, yet they have made an appeal to me as a like illustrative of the newness of our country, the novelty of its problems, and the responsiveness of our government."

Secretary Lane discusses the Indian problem at length and asks whether "it is for the benefit of the Indian himself that the present almshouse policy should continue.

"The American conscience, our sense of justice, our traditions, in fact, will not permit the adoption of a drastic course that would cast the Indian upon a world for which he is ill-prepared," he says. "Yet I am of the opinion that it would be better, far better, to sever all ties between the Indian and the government, give every man his own and let him go his way to success or destruction, rather than keep alive in the Indian the belief that he is to remain a ward of the government.

Put Him Out Gradually.

"The way out is gradually and wisely to put the Indian out. Our goal is the free Indian. The orphan-asylum idea must be killed in the mind of Indian and white man. The Indian should know that he is upon the road to enjoy or suffer full capacity. He is to have his opportunity as a forward-looking man.

"It is my conclusion, after as intimate a study as practicable of his nature and needs, that we should henceforth make a positive and systematic effort to cast the full burden of independence and responsibility upon an increasing number of the Indians of all tribes. I find that there is a statute which significantly empowers the secretary of the interior to do this in individual cases. That authority is adequate. I intend to use such authority.

"In my report of last year I suggested a series of measures for the development of western resources which I thought consonant with the advancing spirit of our time and would meet the demand of the west. There were five of these measures, one providing for a government railroad system in Alaska; an Alaskan coal-leasing bill; a new reclamation act; a bill providing for a new method of opening and developing coal, phosphate, oil and potash fields and a waterpower bill. All of these measures have passed the house of representatives, and the first three also passed the senate and by your approval have become law. I feel that it is conservative to say that by the passage of these bills the federal government has given to the more remote states greater assurances of its interest in their welfare than has been given for many years."

Disbelief in Government.

In an extended discussion of the needs and development of the west, Secretary Lane adverts, with notable frankness, to embarrassments which he has encountered in dealing with the problems presented in his department.

"It cannot be unknown to you," the secretary says, "that there is throughout the country, more especially in the western states—which, because of their ambition, are naturally impatient of obstruction—a very real fear of what is called the bureaucracy of Washington. This is said to be a system or organized machine, the spirit of which is to oppose action or to effect negative action. It is visualized as either cynical or malevolent, altogether out of sympathy with those who needs must come to the government for some form of help, and so wound round and round with the red tape of officialism as to resemble a barbed-wire entanglement which, if not absolutely impregnable, is only to be passed through after much suffering and toil. It is a matter of no immediate concern how much basis there is for this belief. The presence of the belief makes it a real problem, and the destruction of the belief a necessity, if the government itself is to remain an object of pride and its beneficient efforts understood and appreciated."

Secretary Lane points out the accomplishments of the several bureaus of the interior department during the last year. Some of the typical and important achievements he instances follow:

What Bureaus Have Done.

General land office: Reduce the delay in acting upon homestead final proofs by 50 per cent, surveyed more than 17,000,000 acres of public lands at a cost of less than 4 cents an acre, the lowest record of cost for such work ever made.

Geological survey: Completed detailed geological surveys covering 12,000 square miles, including 100 square miles in Alaska, the total area surveyed geologically being as great as the combined area of Denmark, Switzerland and Greece; classified 57,000,000 acres of public lands, an area larger than the New England states; made an annual census of mineral production through correspondence with about 90,000 mineral producers.

Bureau of pensions: Returned to the treasury $7,655,5[illegible] of the amount appropriated by congress; reduced the total of expenditures for pensions from $174,171,660 in the preceding year to $172,417,546; saved to pensioners about $1,000,000 formerly spent for the execution of vouchers, by abolishing the voucher system of paying pensions.

Reclamation service: Stored enough water in its various reservoirs to make a lake 50 miles long, 15 miles wide and 10 feet deep; diverted 4,000,000 acre-feet of water in stream equal in volume to the Hudson river where the Mohawk enters it; and irrigated 700,000 acres on 16,354 farms, an area equal to that of Rhode Island. These farms provided homes and occupation for 61,253 people and produced crops valued at $17,732,030, or about $25 per acre, began and completed 478 miles of irrigation canals, 115 miles of drainage and waste-water ditches, 80 miles of irrigation and drainage pipe line, laid in dams and other irrigation works enough concrete to build more than 2,000 miles of city sidewalks six feet wide and three inches deep; manufactured 500,000 barrels of sand cement; constructed three miles of dikes and 27 miles of railroads, 17 miles of electric transmission lines, 45 miles of telephone lines, 36 miles of wagon roads, and 120 buildings; maintained and operated 7,120 miles of irrigation canals, which, if in one continuous canal, would reach in an air line from Palm Beach, Fla., to Fairbanks, Alaska, and back again; 543 miles of drainage and waste-water ditches, 19 miles of standard-guage railroad, 374 miles of electric transmission lines, 2,180 miles of telephone lines and 733 miles of wagon roads.

Patent office: Enabled the applicant to secure a patent in two-thirds of the time that formerly was necessary; increased the surplus receipts of the office for the fiscal year from $155,030 in 1913 to $240,856 in 1914.

WOMAN ON THE BATTLE-FIELD

What she gives to a nation

Shall we say that women contribute only the bandages, the nursing, cheering and comforting the wounded? No! They contribute the fighters! What sort of help and inspiration can a woman be who is enfeebled and broken-down by diseases and weaknesses peculiar to her sex. Can she hope to be a capable mother or an efficient wife?

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Acid Stomachs Are Dangerous

Common-Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist.

"Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicines and medicinal treatments are useless in such cases, for they leave the source of the trouble, the acid in the stomach, as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, a simple antacid, taken in a little warm or cold water after eating, which not only neutralizes the acid, but also prevents the fermentation from which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little bisurated magnesia, which can be obtained from any druggist and should always be kept handy. Adv.

Canon City Nut

There has been a considerable demand all fall for CANON CITY NUT coal, which it has been impossible to meet, as there has been none in the city for about a year. Fremont county produced in October last only about 16,000 tons of coal, whereas in 1912 it averaged for the year over 60,000 tons per month.

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3 GERMAN MERCHANTMEN SUNK NEAR THE STRAITS

Either British or Jap Warships Send Down Vessels Off South American Coast

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 9.—Three German merchantmen were sunk by British or Japanese warships off the coast of Terra del Fuego, the southernmost extremity of South America, last Sunday, according to advices just received here.

The information was contained in a wireless dispatch to the ministry of marine from the commander of the Argentine war transport Piedra Buena.

The message said a division of warships, which the commander believed to have been either English or Japanese, aggregating five ironclads and one transport, on the morning of December 6 sank one of the Germans in the roadstead of Picton island. The two other steamers were sent to the bottom the same evening outside the harbor of Pantalon, near Cape Sanpio.

One steamer belonged to the German Cosmos line. The ownership of the two others was not stated, but the commander of the Piedra Buena reported that one of them had a yellow funnel with a black ring around it.

IMPORTS CHINESE PAINTINGS

From the Philadelphia Record.

Rare old Chinese paintings, valued at $50,000 and upward, were passed into this country free of duty by inspectors from the Philadelphia custom house. The paintings are the possession of Lee Kee Son of Shanghai who came here to study at the University of Pennsylvania. They will be placed on the walls of his dormitory room. He explained that he thought they would be safer here than in China, where conditions are unsettled by numerous revolutions.

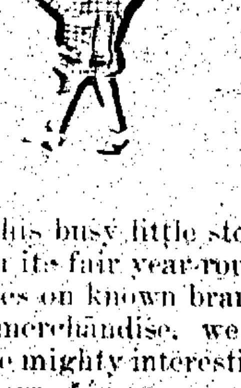
Son, accompanied by Louis Sing, a graduate of the University of Illinois, who is going to take a post graduate course at the University of Pennsylvania, [illegible] Hongkong a week ago on the Pacific liner Mongolian. Believing his luggage contained only wearing apparel, custom officers in the Golden Gate city permitted it to be shipped here under bond. Inspector Eberle met Son when he arrived at the Baltimore & Ohio depot in this city.

Eberle opened his eyes wide with surprise when he noted the contents of the Celestial's trunks. He decided that the case was one to be decided at the appraisers' stores, and had the trunks taken there. Under the new tariff law all works of art more than a century old are admitted free of duty. Son easily proved that the pictures are 400 years old.

Art collectors say that the collection is the most valuable lot of oriental paintings ever brought to this country. Most of the pictures were painted during the Ming dynasty, 400 years ago. The property and valuables were seized by revolutionists, the pictures alone being saved.

A giraffe immediately after its birth measures six feet from its hoofs to the top of its head.

"Trade With the Boys"



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SAFETY FIRST

ONE of the most interesting and important developments of American industrial life in recent years is the "safety first" movement. For a long time the country was oblivious to the appalling record of loss of life and accidents in mines, factories, foundries, railroads and other great industrial concerns. Danger to life and limb were regarded as a part of the business, and if an employe met with disaster it was merely his misfortune.

But careful study showed that most of these accidents were avoidable. Some of them were due to carelessness on the part of the employe, and more of them to the lack of safety appliances and other preventive measures.

Two or three years ago several of the largest employers of labor, including the Pennsylvania and New York Central railways, the steel corporation, etc., began systematic efforts to prevent accidents. They adopted the slogan, "safety first." They posted warning signs, installed safety appliances, and distributed among their employes written instructions showing them how to go about their work at a minimum risk.

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The results have more than justified these efforts, for the accident list has steadily decreased. Now this policy is in general use throughout the industrial world, and there is scarcely a railroad company or a big manufacturing concern that does not carry on a systematic propaganda to protect its employes from accidents. Recently the commandant of the Navy yard at Charleston, S. C., issued an order to all employes of the naval station embodying the safety rules and observances prescribed by the safety department of the New York Central lines. These rules are conspicuously posted under the heading, "Safety First Safety Always," and the men are expected to obey them as carefully as they obey other rules. For instance "When engaged in chipping, riveting or grinding, always wear goggles to protect your eyes from injury. Goggles will be furnished each man engaged in such work free of charge by the Government."

The number of men in this country who now work under the protection of a carefully administered safety-first system runs into the millions, and there is no telling how many thousands of lives are saved annually thereby. It has been proved beyond question that the loss of life and limb which used to be charged up as "unavoidable accidents" is unnecessary. And this discovery, with the practical steps that have been taken to insure safety first constitute a highly important step in recent economic progress.

MILITARISM VERSUS MILITARY PREPAREDNESS

THERE is a great deal of difference between militarism and military preparedness, a difference which many people do not seem to grasp. Germany, of course, is the logical example of militarism run riot, and Australia may well be a nation fully prepared for war. But what a difference there is. The Germans have armed themselves with the deliberate intention of forcing war at the first opportunity, of taking command of the seas and becoming a super-nation. Australia has armed itself for no other reason than to protect the country and the interests of its people. It is the thought behind the action that makes the difference.

Australia has inaugurated a system by which every boy is put through a military education in the public schools and colleges, the men doing two weeks of active field service every summer. By this method the country has utilized all its available resources and is prepared for any unforeseen attack by a hostile force which is an additional possibility on account of its isolated situation.

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Germany also utilizes its men. The purpose, however, is not the same. The Kaiser has forced all his men into active service to bring about war at the first favorable opportunity.

The United States would do well to follow Australia's example. The situation is much the same, excepting the size of the country. Whenever a clear-headed member gets up in Congress and asks for a thorough investigation into the present military system, or an increased appropriation for battleships or training stations, there is at once a howl of "militarism." Granted that an attack is not probable, it is generally admitted that it is entirely possible. It is also admitted that we are unsuitably prepared to meet it.

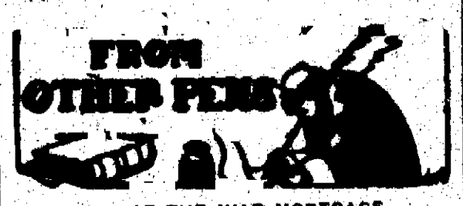
Owing to the large size of this country the people have been lulled into a false sense of security. A system similar to that which Australia is now using could do no harm and would undoubtedly within a few years increase the defensive strength of America immeasurably.

COLORADO CITY ANNEXATION

FOR several months a joint commission composed of three representatives of Colorado Springs and three of Colorado City has worked on a plan for consolidating the two municipalities. The commission has not yet reported its findings, but has indicated its approval of the project. It cites the obvious facts that Colorado Springs and Colorado City are geographically one, that their existence as two units is purely artificial, and that their governmental affairs could be more economically administered if they were united.

This is the only sensible view of the case, and it is really surprising that a movement to annex Colorado City was not launched and brought to a successful conclusion fifteen or twenty years ago. It was different in the early days when a considerable interval of space separated the towns, but it is now many years since they grew solidly together. Only an imaginary line running down the middle of a street separates them. In effect, Colorado City is as much part of Colorado Springs as any other outlying section, and the continued maintenance of a separate government merely means added expense without added efficiency.

Various details are to be settled, such as the floating debt of Colorado City, the separate water system which supplies a part of that town, etc. But there should be no difficulty in adjusting these matters satisfactorily. The Postoffice Department has already decided to change the Colorado City postoffice to a substation of the Colorado Springs office, which is an additional reason why the town should merge its corporate identity with Colorado Springs. A majority vote of the people of each city is necessary to effect the annexation, and when submitted, as it probably will be next spring, it will doubtless be carried with little opposition.



SIZE OF THE WAR MORTGAGE

From the Chicago Herald.

The British $1,750,000,000 loan, authorized by parliament, brings the known war borrowings of the belligerents up to about $4,500,000,000. This does not include Austria-Hungary, nor loans between governments, nor flotations, by neutral nations, in part occasioned by the war. According to available reports, the total is made up thus:

England (including $25,000,000 Egyptian treasury bills)	$2,225,000,000
Germany (including $375,000,000 Prussian state)	1,550,000,000
Russia, bonds and bills	487,000,000
France (to October 10 only)	70,125,000
Japan	26,500,000
Total	$4,338,625,000

The French government had floated a large loan only a few weeks before Austria's drastic demands on Servia started the slaughter, which probably explains its relatively small issues so far. Austria-Hungary has resorted to various financial devices but definite figures of their results are lacking. To the war mortgage may also be added loans of $16,000,000 and $10,000,000 issued by Switzerland and Denmark. And Holland is talking of one of $100,000,000.

The end is not yet, for Chancellor Lloyd-George told the commons that the war would cost England $2,250,000,000 the first year. The new loan of $1,750,000,000 is to meet that part which cannot be raised by immediate taxation, though this includes a doubling of the income tax, a penny a pint on beer and 3 pence a pound more on tea.

Germany's mobilization of credit was prompter and more ingenious, though perhaps more dangerous in the end. As soon as the war opened holders of almost any security of ascertainable value were invited to bring it to a special government bank, where they received up to 90 per cent of its "market value" in a new paper currency. This, in turn, is accepted in payment for interest-bearing government bonds and bills, and is kept stable by drastic price and "legal tender" regulations. Unless Germany should win and exact enormous indemnities the redemption of the vast mass of paper currency thus created may evidently present great difficulties.

Aside from problems of that sort it is evident that the European war is loading a mortgage upon posterity of a size unknown since human history began. And it will be a mortgage whose interest charge alone, to say nothing of its principal, will rest upon populations weakened in material resources and in physical strength by war's destructions. For the battle mill consumes the "fittest" first.

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TIMID NEUTRALITY

From the New Republic.

How is it possible to create the beginnings of international order out of the nations of this world? Not out of a world of pacificists, not out of a world of Quakers, but out of this world, which contains only a small minority of pacificists and Quakers. For it is peace on earth that men need, not peace in heaven, and unless you build from the brutalities of earth, you step out into empty space.

The first question that arises is the maintenance of treaties. We have seen them violated not only in Belgium, but in Manchuria and China. We have seen the Hague conventions, to which our signature is attached, torn up and thrown to the winds. Undefended towns have been bombarded, exorbitant levies made, hostages taken. We have not even protested. We have watched the paper structure of good will collapse. And yet, when a man like Roosevelt insists that we must create no more valueless paper, he is denounced as an American Bernhardi and the twin of the kaiser.

On this same score the New Republic will no doubt be accused as a militarist organ, hostile to the good faith of the world. If we range ourselves with Roosevelt on this question, it is because we believe that treaties will never acquire sanctity until nations are ready to seal them with their blood. England may not have been too scrupulous about treaties in the past, but today she stands irrevocably committed. If she makes treaties now they may mean something, and that is an incalculable advance for the human race.

So with us. It is our business to make no treaties which we are not ready to maintain with all our resources, for every scrap of paper is like a forged check, an assault on our credit in the world. We must not permit ourselves to fall into the plight of Germany, where our word is distrusted by the nations. For there can be no morality of nations so long as promises are idly given and idly broken. So long as that condition prevails, distrust and suspicion will rack the world, and behind a facade of delusive promises the nations will continue to arm.

So when Colonel Roosevelt says that our neutrality does not carry with it the obligation to be silent when our own Hague conventions are destroyed, he is taking an active step toward ultimate peace. Had we protested against the assault on international morality when Belgium was invaded, our faith in public law would have been made somewhat real. For unless some one some time is ready to take some chance for the sake of internationalism, it will remain what it is today, an object of derision to aggressive nations.

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REAL ECONOMY

From the Pittsburg Dispatch.

The women are applying the doctrine of economy in their own way. If the fashion of short skirts goes much further up it will lessen the cost of new dresses and materially cut down the demand for burlesque theater tickets.

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MIGHT GET COLD

From the Philadelphia Press.

Having captured Tsing-tao the Japanese will, of course, hand it right back to China just as they declared they would; but it will hardly be convenient to keep dinner waiting while they do it.

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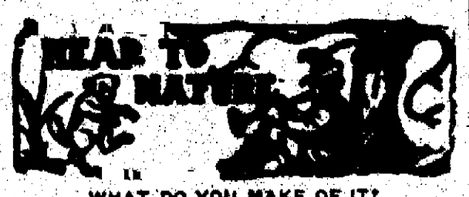
CARNEGIE FINDS WAY

From the New Orleans States.

At last our old friend Andy Carnegie has found a way to gratify his wish to die poor. He is going to establish a magazine devoted to world peace.



WHAT DO YOU MAKE OF IT?

From the Geneva (Ill.) Republican.

Mrs. B. M. Reed came Thursday a week ago Wednesday and she returned Thursday evening this week.

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PUMPKIN "PI"

From the Bennington (Vt.) Banner.

The largest pumpkin heard of this season, which weighs 87 pounds, was raised by Mrs. Ellen Kilgore, aged 72 years, of Essex Junction. The pumpkin is 70 inches in circumference and 30½ inches in diameter.

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DESPERATE DISEASES, ETC.

From the Purdue Exponent.

In order to avoid an outbreak of the foot and mouth disease on the Purdue farm, members of the faculty are requested to keep away from the University farm, the Poultry farm, and the Serum plant.

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THE MISSOURI ARISTOCRACY

From the Vandalia Mail.

Mrs. Pink Harelson of Farber went to Curryville Friday to visit her mother.

Jarvey Rohr, wife, and son, Clefus, motored to the home of Harmey Popkes Sunday.

Mrs. Tal Gore returned Saturday from Kirksville.

Rev. Bibb filled his regular appointment at Adiel Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shinn spent Monday in Bowling Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck McPike of Bowling Green visited Mrs. William Miller last Sunday.

Mrs. Baum Dowell spent the day with Mrs. Doug Branstetter Friday and with Mrs. Frank Sparks Friday night.

Counting the Cost

BY RUTH CAMERON

There are very few of us who feel that we can go into a shop and order some attractive thing that appeals to us without asking the price.

Yet how many people see something attractive in life's shop window and forthwith make up their minds that they must have it without stopping to count the cost.

Everything in life's shop window has its price. Unfortunately this price is not plainly tagged on the article. If it were, and we could see it I fancy many of us would be wiser purchasers in the business of life.

But life's shop is not run that way. It is an installment plan affair. We buy everything on credit and so cleverly is this business done that we frequently delude ourselves into thinking that there is to be no charge, but that in some marvelous way we are getting something for nothing. A deposit is seldom called for—why should it be? We are good risks because we cannot help being. When life's collector calls, we pay, not because we want to but because we must. And when he has gone we sit down and do what we should have done before we made the purchase at all—count the cost.

Sometimes, though we find it heavy, we still feel that our purchase was worth while.

Again, we would give anything to be allowed to give up the purchase and not be asked to pay the price. But life's collections are relentless, there are no return privileges, and the installments on some apparently simple purchase may last a lifetime.

Sometimes we do try to count the cost before we buy. We honestly attempt to read the price tag, and perhaps we think we have made it out successfully, but it's a hundred to one we haven't. For it is an almost universal characteristic of these queer bipeds known as the human race, that they shall have an astigmatism which makes them see the attractiveness of the thing they covet enormously large, and the price they will have to pay infinitely small.

Doubtless nature has her reasons for giving us this astigmatism. Perhaps we should be afraid to buy even the worth-while things of life if we understood the price. Perhaps the fear of living would paralyze us and we should become that impotent creature, the hanger-back, whom Stevenson says not even God can forgive.

Suppose would-be parents should count the cost in suffering and anxiety, in sleeplessness, in self-denial and, in a hundred other coin, which their privilege is likely to entail. Would they not hang back and lose something which is usually worth far more than it can possibly cost?

There is a time to count the cost, and a time to be indifferent to it. Heaven make us wise enough to choose aright!

VEST Pocket Essays

BY Rud. Gr. ARTELT
Author of "At Your Door" etc.

THE VOTER

Let us consider for a minute the voter and his job.

No one is more severely criticised than the quiet man who goes into the election booth each year and tries to pick out the best candidate from a list as long as his arm. Hundreds of writers and thousands of stern judges, most of them in the income tax class, spend a lot of time convincing us that a woman could throw a stone into a flock of hens and hit a designated fowl with more accuracy than is displayed by the common plug voter in picking out the best man from a two-acre ballot.

This is possibly true. Yet the voter's job is not the pleasant, brain-resting pastime which it is often cracked up to be. For months before each election he is the victim of oratory and argument in its most devastating form.

"In April he is angry at the official who sold the state house dome and spent the proceeds for an automobile."

In April he is very angry at the official who sold the state house dome and spent the proceeds for an automobile. But in May he is told by an eminent citizen in a passionate speech, that the man who stole the dome is the victim of a political plot and was induced to do so under the impression that he was improving the ventilation of the building.

While he is puzzling over this information he discovers through a newspaper written by college graduates that the fearless and immaculate citizen chosen to defeat the dome stealer once owned stock in a public utility company and would, if elected, mortgage the city to Wall street.

While recovering from this information he discovers by means of a congressman who is making a few speeches in the campaign that the man who stole the dome had previously robbed an orphan asylum and fourteen receiving vaults and is planning, if reelected, to remove the entire state house and build a garage from the debris.

This irritates him beyond measure until he learns from a passionately eloquent member of the thinking class of Americans, who is also making a few speeches, that the gentleman running on the reform ticket is an escaped lunatic who wishes to pass a law compelling all citizens to stay at home on Sunday and sing hymns through the nose.

Election is now so near that the voter is in a very puzzled condition. But he still continues to be violently assaulted with information. In four successive days he learns that the dome stealer has collected a slush fund of $17,000,000 from the convicts in the state penitentiary and has promised them all offices; that the reform candidate really stole the dome himself, disguised as the accused man; that the dome stealer is planning to seize the churches and turn them into dance halls; and that the reform candidate once bought a nonunion pair of overalls.

When election day arrives the voter tosses a penny, votes for the candidate indicated and goes home dejected, knowing that whatever he does he will be cursed for his inefficiency.

The voter is not so much to blame for the fact that American politics proceeds by somersaults and flip-flops as are the educated and refined leaders of the masses who dispense the information before the election. Every voter should be supplied with a good private detective and should be allowed to do his own campaigning.

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BEST FOR KIDNEYS—SAYS DOCTOR.

Dr. J. T. R. Neal, Greenville, So. Car., says that in his 30 years of experience he has found no preparation for the kidneys equal to Foley Kidney Pills. Pain in back and hips is an indication of kidney trouble—a warning to build up the weakened kidneys, make them vigorous, ridding your blood of acids and poisons. Foley Kidney Pills will help any case of kidney and bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. In 50c and $1.00 sizes. Sold in your town by Robinson Drug Co. Adv.

NORWEGIAN STEAMSHIP IS SUNK OFF DENMARK

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The Norwegian steamer Nygaard, previously reported ashore off Esbjerg, Denmark, has been driven a mile nearer the shore line and has gone to the bottom. The Nyguard, from Port Arthur and Pensacola for Esbjerg, was reported ashore November 26, with 15 feet of water in her hold. On that day her crew was landed safely at Esbjerg.

ENGLISH GIVE $95,000 FOR RELIEF OF BELGIUM

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Although the American commission for relief in Belgium made no appeal for subscriptions in Great Britain, more than $95,000 has been received from British newspaper readers. With this sum the relief commission has purchased 1,600 tons of food supplies and has chartered the steamship Borgny, which will sail for Rotterdam in a few days.

The home of A. S. Blanchard, on Mount Desert Island, Me., was recently struck by lightning, which tore up things in a peculiar manner. In its haphazard progress through one of the rooms it tore a thick rug half in two.

At Hardy's

THE VEIL PINS HAVE ARRIVED

Two gross (288) of the little sterling silver Veil Pins arrived yesterday, and go on sale today at 35c per pair; 3 pairs for $1.00.

All patrons who have had the Veil Pins reserved are requested to call for them today if convenient.

VEIL PINS AND HAT PIN SETS

A small quantity of sterling silver Veil Pin and Hat Pin Sets go on sale today at 85c per set. Two hat pins and two veil pins mounted on one card.

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About 100 more sterling silver Kewpie Rings will be sold today at 25c each.

A charming little gift for a child.

STERLING SILVER BABY SPOONS, $1.00

A choice little lot of sterling silver Baby Spoons have just been received.

They come in both straight and curved handles, plain and engraved with nursery designs.

Sterling silver. Price $1 each.

HIGH-CLASS GIFTS

Bronze Art Lamps, $10 to $35.
Bronze Book Consoles, $4 to $10 per pair.
Copper and Silver Book Ends, $3.50 to $5.
Ruskin Proofs in frames, $5 to $10.
Extension Book Racks, $2.50 to $5.
Smoking Services, $2.50 to $12.
Rookwood Pottery, $1 to $50.
Framed Pictures, $1 to $25.
Desk Sets, $3.50 to $25.
Onyx and Seed Pearl Jewelry, $10 to $25 per piece.
Sterling Silver Mesh Bags, $5 to $75.
Rose Coral Jewelry, $5 to $75.
Dinner Rings, $5 to $125.
Art Mirrors, $10 to $35.

BUTTERFLY TEA POT HOLDERS

A very few of the Butterfly Tea Pot Holders remain and will go today at 75c each.

LAST CALL ON SILVER PENCILS

Just a few of the Silver Pencils remain. They will go early today at $1 each.

It will be the last day we will have any at $1.

Clutch point, safety clip; stone set in end.

GOOD 50c CALENDARS

Impressions Calendar for 1915. Contains 52 Favorite Symphonies.

The Bedtime Story Calendar. Contains 52 Animal Stories for Children.

The Calendar of Dinners. Contains 365 answers to the daily question, "What shall we have for dinner?"

The Calendar of Desserts. All in stock today.

MORE CROFT CALENDARS TODAY

Select your Croft Calendars soon.

The selection is very much better now.

Every year we sell out and have to disappoint many customers. Now we have every good subject.

More than 300 are on display today in the 35c and 50c styles.

BEST NEW BOOKS FOR THIS CHRISTMAS

"The Patrol of the Sun Dance Trail," by Ralph Connor. Price $1.25.
"Little Eve Edgerton," by the author of "Molly Make Believe." Price $1.
"The Honorable Percival," by Alice Hegan Rice. Price $1.
"Penrod," by Booth Tarkington. Price $1.25.
"The Eyes of the World," by Harold Bell Wright. Price $1.25.
"Polly Anna"—The Glad Book. Price $1.25.
All in stock today.

Hardy's, 16 N. Tejon

IN THE EARLY DAYS

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

December 10, 1884.

Officer McCabe discovered a fire caused by depositing hot ashes in a wooden barrel in the rear of a Huerfano street building, and by prompt action prevented a serious fire. The laws against the careless disposal of hot ashes were not very strictly enforced at this period.

The Matt France Hose company elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Foreman, A. G. Drake; first assistant, A. House; second assistant, J. Corwin; treasurer, J. M. Bolton; secretary, W. W. Stuart.

O. F. Ralstin of the firm of McCoy & Ralstin was married to Miss Mattie Caldwell, at the home of the bride's parents, by the Rev. J. C. Hay, pastor of the Christian church.

Arthur West and Miss Lizzie Bacheldor were married at Grace church by the Rev. A. R. Kieffer.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

December 10, 1894.

The congregation of the First Christian church had raised practically all of the $11,000 of its debt. Most of the money was subscribed by men who had become wealthy through their ownership of Cripple Creek mines.

Ellason, the Mormon wizard, gave a very interesting performance at the Opera house.

J. R. Halderman, formerly a clerk in Giddings' dry goods store, had disappeared from his home in Rockford, Ill., and the police were endeavoring to find him.

Will Hoops, who had been employed in the First National bank here for some time, left for Cripple Creek to accept a position in the First National bank of that city.

How to Keep Well

By Dr. W. A. Evans

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations and where a stamped addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not take diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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INDIANA FOOD FINDINGS

The food bureau of the Indiana board of health has been inquiring into the bottling and preserving industry in that state. One series of tests related to the keeping qualities of foods put up in Mason jars. The old-style Mason jar was of glass, with a combination glass and zinc cover. The cover was made tight with a rubber ring. The new-style cover, or white crown cap, makes the seal with glass against glass. The rubber band is placed at the edge of the cover and not between the cover and the jar, as in the old Mason top.

It was found that with the old Mason top at the end of six months weak acid solutions had lost a good deal from evaporation, had become turbid, had corroded the cover, and contained zinc in solution. With the new style, or glass seal, the solution had not evaporated, become turbid, corroded the cover, nor did it contain zinc in solution.

Therefore tart substances should not be put up in Mason jars with old-style covers. The same is true, though to a much less degree, with preserves and other foods that are not tart.

The investigators found the sanitary conditions of pop factories much better than they were a few years ago. Of the 105 places inspected, none were excellent; but 45 were good; 57 were fair, and three were bad. Of 349 samples of pop examined 22 were preserved with benzoate of soda (orange soda they found usually contained benzoate.

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The "Man's Store" is well prepared to furnish and help you select useful quality gifts for Men and Boys.

If you are undecided don't hesitate to step into our store and ask to be shown anything you have in mind.

Our stock for the Christmas trade is new and complete. Customers who have seen our showing of men's furnishings are as enthusiastic over it as we are.

You buy here with the assurance that you are getting the best quality and the latest styles. We will cheerfully exchange after Christmas any article purchased at our store.

Its popularity is the wonder the toy world.
Makes more models, builds [illegible]ger models, has more parts [illegible]r your money than any simi[illegible] toy.

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Eight Years' Study to get [the] Best Possible Results from [Tal]king Machines.

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This coal has stood the [t]est for twenty years. [W]hy not stay with coal of [k]nown quality?

Our years of experience [i]n the coal business enables us to serve our [p]atrons with the highest [d]egree of efficiency and Satisfaction.

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116 E. CUCHARAS.
PHONE 676.

[SPRI]NGS STUDENTS NOT INJURED DURING FIRE

[Wor]d has been received here from [...]r Robinson son of Dr and Mrs [...] Robinson and Wolcott Stewart, [son o]f Mr. and Mrs P B Stewart, [both] of whom are students at Phillips [And]over academy, at Andover, Mass, [that] neither were injured in a fire [last] Tuesday Both were residents [of B]artlett hall the dormitory that [was d]estroyed, but they escaped with [all] of their belongings. Robinson [will g]raduate next spring. He and [Stewa]rt attended Cutler academy.

[...] annually Russia about *400 and [...] about 1,600

BEVERLY TUCKER AWARDED ANNAPOLIS APPOINTMENT

Congressman Seldomridge Designates Springs Boy; Leaves for Washington Today; Term Ends March 4

Congressman and Mrs H H. Seldomridge leave today for Washington where the congressman will take his seat in the house of representatives until March 4, when his term expires Mr Seldomridge announced last night that he had designated for appointment to the United States naval academy at Annapolis, Beverly Tucker, son of Mr and Mrs J. S. Tucker, of 517 North Weber street Young Tucker is a freshman at Colorado college and graduated from Cutler academy last year. He will take his examinations for Annapolis probably next spring Congressman Seldomridge also designated for appointment to the military academy at West Point, Volney C. Parker of Julesburg, Colo Parker is a student at Colorado university. The congressman had two appointments.

Congressman Seldomridge will retire next spring in favor of C B. Timberlake of Sterling. Republican, who won out at the last election

Council Sets License Fees for Junk Men

Clauses requiring a license fee of $100 a year and a bond of $1,000 for junk dealers, and a license of $10 a year and a $200 bond for junk collectors are provided in a new junk dealers ordinance introduced at the city council yesterday by Commissioner J J. Eubank The ordinance was referred to the committee of the whole and junk men will be asked to discuss the measure with the council.

Commissioner A J Lawton of the department of public works and property is acting mayor during the absence of Mayor McKesson, who is attending the Pikes Peak Ocean-to-Ocean Highway association meeting in St Joseph, Mo

The council passed finally the annual appropriation ordinance, which becomes effective December 31 The first estimate of work done on the new Bijou street viaduct has been received from the Central Construction company, which is doing the work.

L. J. Skelton Exhibit Attracts Art Lovers

The exhibit of landscape paintings which was opened Monday in Perkins hall by Leslie J Skelton is being visited daily by several hundred persons, and many expressions of appreciation are heard from the visitors. The scenes from the Rocky mountain region come in for much of this praise especially the fine canvas of the "Collegiate Range, Mount Princeton, and the "Rising Moon, Mount Cheyenne," a painting of an evening view out on the plains The moon has already risen but the plains and sky are bright with the reflected light of the sun

Of the paintings dealing with subjects from abroad, On the Sands, St Vaast la Hougue comes in for most praise The observer wonders how it is possible to put on a comparatively small piece of canvas a stretch of beach and sea that seem to extend for miles and then melt from view in the haze of the distant horizon. "Morning Mists Lake Garda is another painting before which many stop for a lengthy visit and then return to admire again before leaving the hall

The exhibition is open daily from 9 until 5 o clock There is no charge for admission

SALE

Useful and fancy articles at 30 West Rio Grande, today (December 10) for the benefit of the Seventh Day Adventist church There will be a musical program Sale begins 7 30 p m All cordially invited Adv.

Eagles Dedicate New Lodge; Elect Officers

About 150 members of Pikes Peak aerie No 143, Fraternal Order of Eagles, were present at the dedication of their new lodge rooms in the McIntyre building, 109 North Tejon street Monday night The association has had a rapid growth during the last few years and now has a membership of 350, including many prominent and successful business men of the community

A campaign has been started to raise the enrollment to 500 and with the new assembly rooms as one of the late acquisitions of the order the officers of Pikes Peak aerie expect to get that many within a short time

The following officers have been elected to serve for the coming year: George R. Splawn, worthy president; William J. Roberts, worthy vice president, D A Dibb, worthy chaplain, Edward Finn, worthy secretary; Fred L. Franz, worthy treasurer; B. F Miller, trustee W R Griffith, inside guard, W W Wood outside guard, Dr J H Smith physician.

A feature of the entertainment was an impersonation of Harry Lauder in Highland costume by R R. Carrick, who also gave some musical selections. A reception will be given next Wednesday, to which the public is invited, and an opportunity will be given to inspect the new hall

ACTION OF SINGLE SPOONFUL SURPRISES MANY

Colorado Springs people who bought the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine etc., known as Adler-i-ka, are surprised at the INSTANT effect of a SINGLE SPOONFUL This remedy is so complete a bowel cleanser that it is used successfully in appendicitis Adler-i-ka acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach ONE MINUTE after you take it the gasses rumble and pass out The Colorado Springs Drug Co. Adv

RABBIT EXPERT SAYS SHOW HERE IS BEST

412 Bunnies on Exhibition; Chico Basin Wins in Corn Competition

The rabbit show which opened Tuesday under the auspices of the National Pet Stock association in connection with the corn and poultry exposition in the Stratton building, is second to none in the country, according to Judge C S Gibson of Detroit. Judge Gibson has attended rabbit shows in all parts of the United States including the annual event at Madison Square Garden in New York, Chicago, Detroit and many other cities, and said yesterday that the Colorado Springs exhibition was the best at which he had ever officiated

An interesting feature of the combined show in Judge Gibson's opinion, was the fraternal feeling that existed between the poultry and rabbit fanciers

"While some of the fancy exhibits were not particularly good the Belgian and Flemish hare displays are not to be equaled," said Judge Gibson "I wish to make particular reference to a class of 65 adult does, one of the largest I have ever seen

The best individual exhibitor was W G Barfoot of Denver who had some especially fine displays There were about 412 rabbits in the show The quality of the exhibits compared favorably with any exhibition in the United States, according to Judge Gibson who was enthusiastic about his work

The work of judging the poultry exhibits was concluded yesterday by Judge D T Heimlick who has gone to his home in the east Mr Heimlick declared that some of the exhibits were the finest he had ever seen

The following prizes were awarded yesterday to exhibitors in the corn show:

Best general display of corn milo kaffir feterita and sorghum grains won by Chico Basin Farmers club; general display of corn and corn products made by one farmer in El Paso county, R E Hibbard of Hanover Colo, one bushel yellow dent seed corn, R E Hibbard Hanover Colo one bushel white dent corn, J C Williams; 10 ears yellow dent corn J C Williams 10 ears white dent corn, J C Williams 10 ears calico corn J C Glover.

The following awards were announced by Judge Gibson in the rabbit contest

SEVEN-MONTH HIMALAYAN.

Bucks—First Blue Ribbon Rabbitry second W G Barfoot, third, Blue Ribbon Rabbitry, fourth and fifth F B Wheeler

Does First, W G Barfoot second Blue Ribbon Rabbitry third, fourth and fifth, F B Wheeler

SENIOR NEW ZEALAND RED

Bucks—First L J Hawkins

Does—First and second L J Hawkins

BLUE IMPERIAL

Bucks—First R C Knill (Hollywood)

Does—First R C Knill (Hollywood)

LOP-EAR

Bucks—First R C Knill (Hollywood Ill)

SENIOR ANGORA WHITE

Bucks—First F B Wheeler second R Roby and F Scott third fourth and fifth F B Wheeler

Does—First second third fourth and fifth, F. B Wheeler

Litter—First F B Wheeler

SEVEN-MONTH WHITE ANGORA.

Bucks—First, F B Wheeler, second R. C Knill third fourth and fifth F B Wheeler

Does First second third fourth and fifth F B Wheeler

BLACK FLEMISH

Bucks—First, F B Wheeler second, Griffin Rabbitry third and fourth, F B Wheeler fifth, Denver Rabbitry

Does—First, F P Wheeler, second, Denver Rabbitry, third, Griffin Rabbitry

Litter—First, H H Pooler

SEVEN-MONTH WHITE ANGORA

Bucks—First F B Wheeler, second R C Knill (Hollywood, Ill.), third, fourth and fifth F B Wheeler

SEVEN-MONTH GOLDEN FAWN

Bucks—First, second third, fourth and fifth, F B Wheeler

Does—First second third, fourth and fifth F B Wheeler

SENIOR GOLDEN FAWNS

Bucks—First, second, third, fourth and fifth F B Wheeler

Does—First, second third fourth and fifth, F B Wheeler

Litter—First, F B Wheeler

SENIOR HIMALAYAN

Bucks—First and second, Blue Ribbon Rabbitry, third R C Knill

Does—First and second Blue Ribbon Rabbitry third, R. C Knill

Litter—First Blue Ribbon Rabbitry, second, F B Wheeler

Awards in the chicken show have been made as follows

S C RHODE ISLAND REDS.

J A Bailey, Denver—First, cock, second, pen

O O. Faith, Pueblo—First, cockerel, second, pullet, first, pen

I E Wilson, Rocky Ford—Second and third, cockerels; first, pullet

R H. Jordan—First, hen

George A Barney, Calhan—Third pen

R C RHODE ISLAND REDS

John Elston—First and third cocks first and third, cockerels, first and second, pullets; first, hen, second, pen

A Brauer Second, cock, third, hen, first, pen.

Mrs. H. W. Hoagland—Fourth, cock second, hen.

William Hillis—Second, cockerel, third and fourth, pullets

Dr E E Crooks—Fourth cockerel, fourth, hen

S. C BUFF LEGHORNS

L. E Jennings, Pueblo—First, cock, first, pullet, first, cock; first, pen; fourth, hen

R. C BUFF LEGHORNS.

L. E. Jennings, First, pullet, first, hen, first, cock.

A. T Stephens, Denver First, hen, second, pen; second, hen, second, cock; second, pullet; third, cock; third, pullet

J. Gates, Colorado Springs—Fourth, cock.

F Imboden Colorado Springs—Fourth hen, fourth cock fourth and fifth, pullet, third and fifth cock third pen

Crescent Poultry ranch Boulder Fifth hen

R C BUFF LEGHORNS.

L E Jennings, Pueblo—First, cock first pullet first hen

S C BLACK MINORCAS

C A Spickerman—First cock first third and fourth cockerels second pullet first hen first, pen

Mrs Ida Loving, Pueblo—Second cockerel first and third, pullets

S C WHITE MINORCAS

C A Spickerman—First pullet first hen first pen

WHITE FACE BLACK SPANISH

One pen

S C BUFF ORPINGTONS

J L Baldwin Pueblo—First cock first, cockerel first and second pullets first hen first pen

F F Carman—Third pullet second and third hens

DARK CORNISH

W W Officer, Fowler—First cock first cockerel, first pullet first hen

SILKIES (WHITE)

J F Amidon—First cockerel first and second pullets

GOLDEN SEABRIGHT BANTAMS

A C Blake—First, cock first second third and fourth, hens

BOURBON RED TURKEYS

Mrs H Neswander—First and second gobblers, first, hen turkey

FAWN AND WHITE RUNNERS.

S F Brown—First and second drakes first, second and fourth hens

A T Manes—Third and fourth, drakes

J P Young—Third hen

SWEEPSTAKES AWARDS

J R Lowell—Directors championship cup for best bird in the show cup for best pen in all classes best cockerel in the show cup on first S C White Leghorn pen cup on best colored S C White Leghorn specimen cup on best shaped S C White Leghorn specimen cup on first S C White Leghorn cockerel

L P Jennings Pueblo Cup on first S C Buff Leghorn hens

Frank E Little—Cup on second best largest and best display in the show cup on largest and best display Barred Plymouth Rocks

John Elston—cup on best display on any variety a cup to three or more exhibitors exhibiting.

W H Sanders, Edgewater—Cup on first S C White Leghorn cock bird

A T Stephens Denver—Cup on largest and best display S C Buff Leghorns

C A Spickerman—Cup on first pen S C Black Minorcas cup on first pen S C White Minorcas

J L Baldwin Pueblo Cup on first pen S C Buff Orpingtons

Patrick & Airgood Cup largest and best display S C White Orpingtons cup on first pen S C White Orpingtons cup on whitest S C White Orpington specimen cup on whitest female S C White Orpington

O O Faith Pueblo—Cup on first pen S C Rhode Island Reds

A Brauer—Cup on first pen R C Rhode Island Reds

W S Walton—Cup on first White Wyandotte cockerel

George A May—Cup on first White Wyandotte pullet cup on first White Wyandotte pen cup on first White Wyandotte hen

100 SPRINGS BROKERS HIT BY SPECIAL $30 WAR TAX

Must Pay Without Warning or Will Be Arrested; Penalty Calls for Fine and Prison

More than 100 brokers in Colorado Springs are liable to a $30 special government tax, and those who have not paid and have continued to do business since the war tax became effective are liable to arrest The penalty in the case is a fine of from $100 to $500 and a prison sentence of 60 days to two years The brokers must come forward and pay their tax without any written notice

The tax includes all brokers who handle stocks, or all members of stock exchanges, little or big The tax is being collected for the period between December 1 and June 30 next year, being two-thirds of the year.

CARD OF THANKS

To the friends whose sympathy and helpfulness, manifested in many ways, brought to us comfort under the burden of grief we bore in the death of the wife daughter and sister, we tender our earnest and heartfelt thanks

MR D M McCARTHY,
MR AND MRS T H HURLEY,
MRS LUCILE RETTSTATT

HERE'S

something that will please that boy or girl as a Christmas present. This week we will give a

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same as cut, with every dollar purchase or more carried from our store

20 inches high, movable wheel attached to turning roof, catches the wind from any angle Make your purchases here and get one of these for the children. See our window.

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Wilbur's

Sensational Dress Sale

The greatest special purchase of dresses we have ever made. About 100 garments in plain navy and black serges, shepherd checks, etc.—plain silks, messalines, crepes de chines—fancy silks and crepes—in fact, all the most desirable materials used in this winter's best styles.

Big variety of models, colors and effects. This lot comes from one of our best accounts and some of these garments are the same as shown earlier, and could not be sold at that time for 2 or 3 times this special price. Many others are entirely different from anything shown heretofore.

THIS IS UNDOUBTEDLY THE GREATEST DRESS VALUE EVER OFFERED IN COLORADO SPRINGS
and every woman who sees them will want one or more of them, and she may secure two or even three for the usual price of one. Come in early and make selections, for they will go fast. Here are $20, $25, $30, $35 and $40 values for only

$10.85

In this lot are a few sample dresses which would retail as high as $35 and $40 each, if not slightly soiled.

Remarkable Coat Values Create Immense Business

No prospective coat buyer goes out of this store without making a selection. They simply can't resist the remarkable values. Dozens of this season's newest and best styles all the most desirable fabrics and colors are found in these two lots and the prices in every instance are way below the regular figures

12.50 EACH NOW BUYS COATS ORIGINALLY $16.50 TO $25.00

COATS MADE TO SELL FOR $25.00 TO $35.00 EACH, NOW 17.50

1/4 off Any tailored suit, street, afternoon or evening costume in this entire stock now on sale at one-fourth less than regular price. 1/4 off

Colorado City News

Douglas Fine Chocolates for those who care at C M Sherman Adv

Mrs John Ingersoll corner of Third street and Munroe avenue is ill at her home

C Jackson 211 Washington avenue has been called to San Francisco by the illness of his father

Mr and Mrs John P Riley and daughter of Fort Lupton Colo are living in this city

Leo Kintner who has been employed for the Pullman company is at his home here for the winter

John Kell of the Midland office who underwent an operation at St Francis hospital is recovering rapidly

Levi Hooker of New York brother-in-law of T S Nichols arrived yesterday and will make his home in this city

The condition of Mrs George Beavers of Michigan City Ind is unchanged according to word received here yesterday

Word has been received of the death of a large number of cattle at Cascade the cause being attributed to the sudden change in temperature

Edward Wolff has returned from Pueblo where he went to identify the Mexican supposed to have shot Andrew Weberbauer The man arrested was not the right one

GIRL BREAKS THROUGH ICE. BUT IS RESCUED

[illegible]

THIS AND FIVE CENTS
DON'T MISS THIS [illegible] For sale by Robinson Drug Co Adv

DIRECT INFORMATION AGAINST RILEY WALKER

[illegible] Riley Walker the negro [...] with the murder last Sunday of Mrs Jennie Grier [...] Walker will be tried today [...] the district court and the district attorney's office yesterday stated that the prosecution would ask for a death sentence Attorney P M Kistler [...] appointed by the court to defend Walker [...] The case will be the first in [...] length.

Mackinaws

For Men and Boys
$5.00 and higher

Robbins ON THE CORNER

[illegible] returned

The [...] of South America have been known to construct [...]

Good Skating Now on Monument Park Lake

The first good ice skating of the winter may now be enjoyed by devotees of the exhilarating sport, the recent low temperatures having brought smooth ice on the lakes and ponds Lake No 3 in Monument Valley park attracted scores of skaters yesterday the park overseers permitting skating there because the water is shallow On lake No 1 it is probable that skating will be permitted tomorrow if the weather remains cold The park commission will flood the lakes during the cold season to provide the best of skating

Deaths and Funerals

The funeral of Mrs Sarah E. Burt, aged 65 years, the mother of William J Burt and O. Burt of the New York Electric company who died yesterday at her home, 811 East Willamette avenue, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 30 o clock from the residence Interment private

The funeral of Frank Tappin will be held from the Fairleys undertaking rooms this afternoon at 2 o'clock Friends are invited, but interment in Evergreen cemetery will be private.

The funeral of J L Evans will be held from the Fairleys undertaking rooms tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend the services but interment in Evergreen will be private

Miss Carrie A Kimble, a teacher in the public schools has received word of the death of her sister Mrs Nelson [...] Russell of Chicago Mrs Russell often has visited here

A FEW POINTS IN FAVOR OF
Genuine Gas Coke

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No smoke, gas or dirt.
Does not slack or deteriorate
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Get the Original and Genuine
HORLICK'S MALTED MILK
The Food-drink for All Ages.
For Infants, Invalids and Growing children.
Pure Nutrition, upbuilding the whole body.
Invigorates the nursing mother and the aged.
Rich milk, malted grain, in powder form.
A quick lunch prepared in a minute.
Take no substitute. Ask for HORLICK'S.
Not in Any Milk Trust

Personal Mention

Miss Sylvia L. Brower has returned after a visit to her home in Lima, O.

Mrs. A. H. Fisher, mother and son, have been called to El Paso, Tex., where Mr. Fisher is suffering with electrical burns.

J. E. Preston of the C. M. & St. P. railroad, with headquarters in Denver, was in town yesterday on business.

Mrs. Cornelius Gambrill is still confined to her bed in a hospital in San Francisco as the result of an accident to her mill, which she sustained some time ago. Mrs. Gambrill received word of the death of her mother, Mrs. Mary McKenzie, while in the west, but was unable to attend the funeral at San Antonio.

Mrs. M. Weisner, of Los Angeles, daughter of Mrs. Chapin of Colorado City, was married last week in California. Mrs. Weisner's first husband was drowned two years ago at Redondo, Cal.

Wheezing in the lungs indicates that phlegm is obstructing the air passages. BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP loosens the phlegm so that it can be coughed up and ejected. Price 25c, 50c and $1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co. Adv.

News of the Courts

A. M. Kaooken, proprietor of a garage north of Colorado Springs, was fined $25 and costs in Justice Madden's court yesterday on a charge of assault, preferred by Grant Forbes.

Mrs. Stella Rubeson, E. Caylor and Harry Lang were committed to jail yesterday in police court, after having been fined for a statutory offense. Lang was fined $100 and the other two $25 each. A girl, who was arrested in the case, was released under a suspended sentence. The four were arrested Tuesday night at 310 South Conejos street. The arrest was made through the discovery of the woman's whereabouts by her husband, whom she is said to have left some time ago.

Quickest, Surest Cough Remedy is Home-Made

Easily Prepared in a Few Minutes. Cheap but Unequaled

Some people are constantly annoyed from one year's end to the other with a persistent bronchial cough, which is wholly unnecessary. Here is a home-made remedy that gets right at the cause and will make you wonder what became of it.

Get 2½ ounces Pinex (50 cents worth) from any druggist, pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Start taking it at once. Gradually but surely you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether, thus ending a cough that you never thought would end. It also loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals the inflammation in a painful cough with remarkable rapidity. Ordinary coughs are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, winter coughs and bronchial asthma.

This Pinex and Sugar Syrup mixture makes a full pint enough to last a family a long time—at a cost of only 54 cents. Keeps perfectly and tastes pleasant. Easily prepared. Full directions with Pinex.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in guaiacol, and is famous the world over for its ease, certainty and promptness in overcoming bad coughs, chest and throat colds.

Get the genuine. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces Pinex," and do not accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Societies and Clubs

The Ladies Aid society of the Second Congregational church will meet at the home of Edward Rahm, 721 South Sahwatch street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This is the annual meeting of the association and there will be election of officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Gunnell's district of the First Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. R. Gregg, 1223 North Tejon street. The district will conduct a home-cooked food sale, and also a fancy work table of useful holiday gifts.

The annual meeting of El Paso lodge No. 13, A. F. and A. M., will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock when election of officers will be held and reports read. Visiting Masons are invited.

The Young Women's Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet this evening at 7:45 o'clock at the home of Miss Bertha Williams, 25 North Second street, Ivywild. Miss Rose Keifer and Miss Abendshien will assist the hostess.

District 4 of the First Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George Smith, 1015 North Weber street. Members are asked to bring their work.

Mrs. Eldridge's district of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Shockley, 210 East Cimarron street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Young Ladies Bible class of St. Pauls M. E. church will hold an all-day bazaar today at 124 South Tejon street.

The regular meeting of the Daughters of Veterans will be held in G. A. R. hall tomorrow afternoon. There will be the annual election of officers and several candidates for initiation. Members are asked to bring washable chair cushion covers for the Soldiers home Christmas box.

Section 2 of the First M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Owen Roberts, 811 North Weber street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Von Boston and Miss Lilley will assist.

There will be a meeting of the gospel teams this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. All those who desire to affiliate with teams or organize into divisions are urged to attend. A definite program of work for the winter will be outlined.

What Would You Do?

There are many times when one man questions another's actions and motives. Men act differently under different circumstances. The question is, what would you do right now if you had a severe cold? Could you do better than to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy? It is highly recommended by people who have used it for years and know its value. Mrs. O. E. Sargent, Peru, Ind., says, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is worth its weight in gold and I take pleasure in recommending it." For sale by all dealers. Adv.

CHARITIES COMMISSION WILL SEEK CONTRIBUTIONS

The Special Associated Charities committee, which was appointed to try to free the association of its indebtedness, and of which Dean E. S. Parsons of Colorado college is chairman, has decided to eliminate the usual campaign for funds, and will endeavor to raise the money by private contributions, according to Agent W. F. Worcester. Lists have been made out and each member of the committee will see certain people.

Gore, Ga., P. A. Morgan had occasion recently to use a liver medicine, and says of Foley Cathartic Tablets: "They thoroughly cleansed my system and I felt like a new man—light and free. They are the best medicine I have ever taken for constipation. They keep the stomach sweet, liver active, bowels regular." Foley Cathartic Tablets are stimulating in action, and neither gripe nor sicken. They are wholesome and thoroughly cleansing, and keep the liver active. Stout people like them. Robinson Drug Co. Adv.

SALVATION ARMY TO HAVE CHRISTMAS TREE

Preparations for the Salvation army's Christmas party are going ahead rapidly, according to Adjt. J. J. Shearer, who is in charge of the festivities. The Christmas tree, which will be a silver spruce 20 feet tall, has been ordered. Fifty dolls have been secured and several hundred toys will decorate the tree on Christmas eve. A feature of the arrangements will be the stocking brigade. More than 200 stockings are needed, and several of the women's clubs and organizations have promised to take the matter up and see that the children have a sufficient supply. The party will be given in Temple theater at 6 o'clock Christmas eve.

EGGS FROM CHINA NOT FIT FOR CONSUMPTION

A shipment of eggs from China, received Tuesday by a local concern, proved to be in such bad condition that it was condemned by Assistant Market Master Johnson. Upon the arrival of the shipment the health department was notified and the eggs were found to be unfit for consumption. The shipment consisted of five crates, and is thought to be the first of its kind to be sent to Colorado Springs.

DR. ALEX. HARDLICKA TO GIVE LECTURE HERE SOON

Dr. Alex. Hardlicka of the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D. C., will lecture here shortly under the auspices of the Colorado Springs branch of the Archaeological Institute of America. Dr. Hardlicka's investigations refer to the beginning of the human race and especially to the connection of the American Indian and the tribes of eastern Asia. The lecture will be open to the public and no admission fee will be charged.

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How to Keep Well

(Continued from Page Four)

Seven samples contained salicylic acid; 17 contained saccharin.

This is a very good showing. I feel certain that the greatest risk in drinking pop is not from saccharin, benzoate or salicylic acid. The principal danger is that large consumers of pop will develop lead poisoning.

Eleven samples were in bottles stopped by Hutchinson stoppers. This is the stopper which is pushed in. The objection to the use of this stopper is twofold: It is impossible to properly clean the bottle before filling it, and, when the stopper is pushed in, whatever filth is on the outside of the stopper is washed into the drink. The second solution is that the gas in the pop dissolves lead from the stopper. The Indiana board did not examine for lead. The important point for the purchaser to settle is whether the bottle is so stopped that the contents of the bottle can reach any lead. Unless he can be certain on this point, he had better go without the drink.

OF NO BENEFIT

Mrs. A. R. writes: "Is Wine of Cardui any account?"

REPLY.

No.

NAIL BITING TREATMENT

W. S. M. writes: "Dr. L. K. Hirschberg, in a recent article on efficiency, says, 'No wise employer will ever employ one who bites the nails.' The habit seems to be a most persistent one, judging from the number of adults that one sees with the nails torn down to the quick and the flesh bulging over the nail. I wish that the following simple remedy could be brought to the notice of every one under the thralldom of the habit, because I believe it will effect a cure. I discovered it when a youth and applied it with instant and permanent success in my own case. Addressing the person concerned I would say: 'The next time you find yourself biting your finger nails, take a common nail file and carefully smooth off all the rough places on all the fingers of your hands. You will then have no loose ends to get hold of with your teeth and will not be inclined to tear off the ragged end of the nail. At the same time form a resolution to keep your fingers out of your mouth. Repeat the operation as often as you forget yourself. After a few failures you will lose the inclination to bite your nails, and nothing will ever give you more genuine self-satisfaction than your success in breaking away from this habit.'"

REPLY.

The objection to a nail biter is not to his nails, but to the lack of self-control. When nail biters recognize this, they should be anxious to try your method. Thanks.

SYMPTOMS OF BRIGHT'S

H. W. writes: "Would worry and sleepless nights cause a woman passing through change of life to have neuritis or Bright's disease? What are the first symptoms of Bright's disease? Can neuritis be cured?"

REPLY.

1. They might.

2. It depends upon the type of the disease. Generally speaking, however, they are headache, chilliness, decreased appetite, nausea. There may be dull, wandering pains in the muscles, especially in the region of the loins. As the disease progresses, there is a noticeable difficulty in getting the eyelids widely open, when one awakens in the morning, or more or less bagginess of the skin immediately under the eyelids. During the day the ankles and feet swell. The urine will be scanty, highly colored and contains albumin and casts.

3. It depends upon the cause. Many cases can be cured.

SARATOGA, WYO., WATER

E. A. H. writes: "Having read the request of a person asking you about the water of Saratoga, Wyo., I enclose reading matter regarding it."

REPLY.

The pamphlet shows that the Saratoga, Wyo., water has a temperature of 130 degrees. It contains 26 grains of mineral matter. The water, therefore, belongs to simple, relatively non-medicated group of bath waters.

The examination for radio-activity shows that each liter (about a quart) contains 3.59 units. This is about the amount found in the waters at Marienbad, Kissingen and Wiesbaden.

Lame back may come from overwork, cold settled in the muscles of the back, or from disease. In the two former cases the right remedy is BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It should be rubbed in thoroughly over the affected part, the relief will be prompt and satisfactory. Price 25c, 50c and $1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co. Adv.

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Hundreds of Other Useful Gifts

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BETH-EL BAZAAR

Handmade handkerchiefs and neckwear for Christmas gifts may be found at the Beth-El bazaar tomorrow. Contributions for the handkerchief and neckwear table may be left at the Presbyterian church this afternoon or tomorrow morning. Further information may be had by phoning Mrs. R. M. Grindle, Main 2190.

THAT JAR OF MUSTEROLE ON THE BATH-ROOM SHELF

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When little Susie had the croup; when Johnny got his feet wet and caught cold; when Father sprained his knee; when Granny's rheumatism bothered her—

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MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. It will not blister like a mustard plaster.

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At your druggist's in 25c and 50c jars and a special large hospital size for $2.50.

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HENDERSON REELECTED TO HIGHWAY SECRETARYSHIP

Pikes Peak Ocean-to-Ocean Road Association Would Adopt El Paso County's Maintenance System

Special to The Gazette.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 9.—A. W. Henderson of Colorado Springs was reelected secretary-treasurer of the Pikes Peak Ocean-to-Ocean Highway association at the second annual meeting of the organization here today. C. F. Adams of Chillicothe, Mo., was elected president. Plans were made for an extensive advertising campaign and every effort will be made to bring the advantages of the new transcontinental route before the public in preparation for travel next summer.

Arrangements were made to have the road marked with the official sign and committees were appointed to arrange for the extension of the highway from Terre Haute, Ind., to New York and Salt Lake City to San Francisco. A resolution was passed urging the adoption of El Paso county's system of road maintenance throughout the highway.

Representatives from the various commercial and business associations in Utah, Colorado and Missouri were present at the meeting and showed hearty cooperation in all that was accomplished.

STATE ORGANIZER OF JR. O. U. A. M. ADDRESSES LODGE

Joseph Powell, state organizer of the Jr. O. U. A. M., was the guest of honor at a meeting of the organization last night. He will remain in Colorado Springs for several days conferring with state officials here concerning matters of interest and importance to the order. Powell organized the local lodge more than 20 years ago and for several years was one of the trustees of the National Orphans home. In reply to comments that he has heard, to the effect that patriotic orders are not necessary in this day and age, Mr. Powell declared that the trouble in the Colorado coal fields would not have occurred had operators and miners adhered to the principles of the Jr. O. U. A. M. and that both sides would do well to study the organization's educational features.

COLORADO & SOUTHERN GULF RATES SUSPENDED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Freight rates on wheat and flour increased approximately 10 per cent by the Colorado & Southern railway to Galveston, Tex., New Orleans, La., and other gulf ports for export, were suspended by the interstate commerce commission until June 26. An inquiry now is in progress.

YELLOW FEVER CAMPAIGN PLANNED AT VERA CRUZ

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 9.—Gen. A. M. Auerbach, surgeon at the head of the department of public health, is planning a defensive campaign to keep yellow fever from invading Vera Cruz. Denial was received here today from Puerto Mexico of previous reports that the disease was spreading there.

$22,000 COST OF BRINGING BODY OF WHITELAW REID

LONDON, Dec. 9.—In a report of expenditures of the government issued today is shown that England spent upwards of $22,000 in conveying to the United States the body of the late American Ambassador Whitelaw Reid.

After the death of Mr. Reid in London on December 15, 1912, his body was taken in state to Portsmouth, where it was placed on board the British cruiser Natal and conveyed to New York.

It Always Does the Work.

"I like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy better than any other," writes R. E. Roberts, Homer City, Pa. "I have taken it off and on for years and it has never failed to give the desired results." For sale by all dealers. Adv.

NAVY OFFICER KILLS GIRL BECAUSE SHE WON'T MARRY

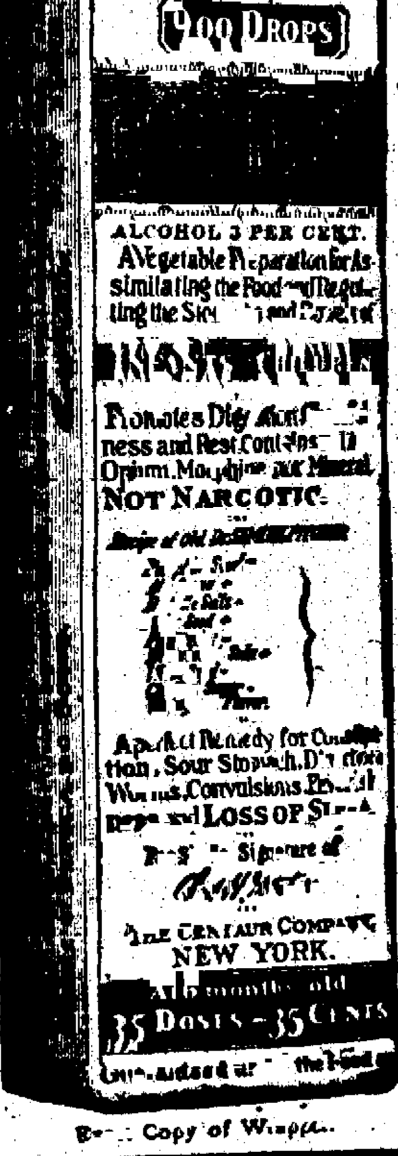
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—Jesse Adams, a petty officer on the battleship Illinois, stationed at the Philadelphia navy yard, shot and killed a young woman named Anna Conway at her home here early today and then committed suicide. According to the police, Adams shot the girl because she refused to marry him. Adams, whose home address was given as Oakland, Ill., was 35 years old. The girl was

CHICAGO BUDGET EXCEEDS REVENUES BY $3,000,00

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—This city will continue last year's precedent of spending more money than it makes, according to the budgets presented to the city council. The estimates by the city departments carry a total of $30,272,131. The comptroller's estimate reduces this to $28,597,768.59. The city's total sources estimated by the comptroller are $25,378,872.20 or $3,218,896.39 lower than his own estimates of expenditures.

BOSTON STOCK EXCHANGE WILL REOPEN THURSDAY

BOSTON, Dec. 9. The Boston stock exchange will be opened for restricted trading on Thursday. The decision was reached at a special meeting of the exchange. Business, it was arranged, will be conducted in a manner similar to that regulating the sale of bonds on the New York stock exchange.



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Edited for THE GAZETTE by T. W. Ross

FORTUNES MADE IN RING BY WORK OF FEW WEEKS; RITCHIE OUT-CROESUSED CROESUS

Figures on Leading Popular Idols of the Ring Show How Scrappers Win in the End

By FRANK G. MENKE.

NEW YORK, Dec 9—It pays to be a good pugilist Willie Ritchie was a good pugilist, and the fight fan donated over $180 000 to Willie after he got his title Freddie Welsh is a good fighter and since Freddie grabbed the title from Willie last summer, Freddie has made about $50 000 Jack Johnson is another good fighter, and his ring earnings to date have been over $300,000 And the dusky champ hasn't reached the limit of his earning capacity

Ritchie, after taking the title from Wolgast fought six real fights including the Welsh bout Here is a list showing what Willie got for each exhibition

Joe Rivers	$ 19,000
Leach Cross	8,500
Wolgast	18,000
Tommy Murphy	17,500
Charlie White	10,000
Freddie Welsh	25,000
Total	97,500
Theatrical work	35,000
Grand total	$132,500

Five months ago Freddie Welsh won the title from Ritchie, and since that time his earnings have been as follows

Matty Baldwin	$ 6,000
Ad Wolgast	5 000
Charlie White	12 000
Freddie Yelle	2,500
Young Brown	3 500
Young Shugrue	5 000
Theatrical work	18 000
Total	$ 50,000

Jack Johnson's real earning power began after he whipped Tommy Burns Up to that time Johnsoon was quite willing to fight for just a little more than enough to buy him a chicken dinner. Here is Johnson's earning list from that date

Tommy Burns	$ 5 000
Tony Ross	4 000
Al Kaufman	6 000
Jack O'Brien	7 500
Victor McLaughlin	3,500
Stanley Ketchell	17,000
Jeffries fight (including share, moving picture rights, etc)	130 000
Jim Flynn	20 000
Jim Johnson	10 000
Frank Moran	30,000
Total	$238,000
Theatrical engagements	75,000
Grand total	$313,000

Ritchie has all the money that he earned—and the interest accumulation as well Ritchie invested his money in gilt-edged real estate and in bonds and Ritchie never will be a poor man even if he doesn't succeed in his present ambition the recovery of the title from Welsh

19th Hole

A FREAK WAGER

Which would you rather?

Lose your right-handed clubs to a left-handed player or win his bagful of left-handed clubs?

The challenging party was composed of the premier of Manitoba and a friend, and the challenged were a Seattle man and a big Canadian railroad builder The challengers were both left-handed players and the challenged played from the starboard side

It was really a diabolical plot; for, as must appear, the winners would have absolutely no use in the world for the loser's clubs except to flaunt them in the face of the losers from time to time, while, on the other hand, to the losers it meant a frightful loss But everybody was game

And Schoenfeld and his companion, the right-handed players, lost at the eighteenth hole.

Buy them back?

Not a chance Not for their weight in gold would the winners have sold the clubs back to the men who had lost them in this fair, above-board fight Instead the winners purchased ribbons and bedecked them as they do trophies of the chase, or the tails of horses in a well-regulated equine show and caused them to be suspended about the lobby of the hotel and the clubhouse, where all could look and grin at the discomfiture of the losers

It was five days before Schoenfeld and his partner refilled their bags with satisfactory clubs

The Oneida Community in New York, are just starting a golf links for their employes the men who dig on the farms and run the presses in the shops From the superintendent to the humblest man employed, it is free So far as known this is the only manufacturing company in this country that has gone so far as to build links for its shop people

As Sandy holed out from the first tee his friend from over the border asked.

"And how many strokes did you take?"

"Eight" replied the Scot

"Ah" said the Englishman I took seven so that's my hole

The Scotsman ventured no reply but when on the second green the Englishman repeated his former question, he made inquiry as to the number of strokes taken by his opponent the latter nodded his head, and, with an expression of infinite wisdom on his face, softly murmured

"Nay, nay, my mannie, this time it's my turn to ask first"

There is at least one caddie out at Wanston who has an instinct for collecting money He followed a player around the course Wednesday, and then went up to the clubhouse to get his pay The crack happened to have only 95 cents in change "I'll give you the other nickel tomorrow, son," he said, and forgot all about it The player reached the club late yesterday He saw a notice on the bulletin board requesting him to call at the office at once Postponing his match a half hour he answered the call He was told the caddie wanted to see him He hunted the caddie up What's the matter, boy," the player said, "did I see a club?" "Naw" answered the lad, "did you bring my nickel?"

COOMBS, IRON MAN, GIVEN UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE

Famous Hurler of Athletics Must Hunt for Another Berth; Feds May Not Want Him

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9. Jack Coombs, the Philadelphia American league pitcher, was given an unconditional release by the Athletic club today. Coombs was injured while pitching in a world's series game against the New York Giants in 1911 and since then has done but very little work on the mound. Recently Manager Mack asked waivers on Coombs, Plank and Bender. The latter two have signed Federal league contracts.

ROYAL ROOTERS OF BOSTON ORGANIZED 17 YEARS AGO

Owners of Clubs Keep Up Interest Among Fans, Who Help to Win Titles for Beantown

The Royal Rooter movement in Boston dates back 17 years but it was not until 1903 that it attained great proportions

In 1897 during the days of old Temple cup series Boston and Baltimore came together in what proved to be the final series for the cup A band of Boston rooters organized themselves and followed the team to the Oriole city after the Beaneaters as Selee's team was then known, had dropped two out of three games in the Hub

The rooters came home rather dejected as the Boston team dropped two straight games in Baltimore But the movement that had its beginning in this series has been revived with every winning team that Boston has since had and the Royal Rooter are now known from one end of the country to the other

The membership has changed greatly between championships in Boston but the power and influence of the organization never waned Two years ago the then owners of the Boston Red Sox, McAleer and McRoy dared to offend this body of enthusiasts and the slight resulted in a public letter of criticism by Mayor Fitzgerald the boycotting of the final game at Boston by the rooters and thousands of fans and it helped in a great measure to end the McAleer-McRoy regime in Boston

Devlin to Manage Denver Next Year

ARTHUR DEVLIN

Famous New York Giant, Who Probably Will Manage the Denver Grizzlies Next Year

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Arthur Devlin probably will manage the Denver club of the Western league next season, it is said. Devlin today said he was favorably impressed with the offer made him by that club. Michael Donlin said that San Francisco had made him an offer to play on the Pacific Coast league but that he had declined it because "San Francisco is too far from New York."

Lehigh had a remarkable field-goal kicker this fall in Cahall He led the players of the east in that department

Girls Form Rifle League to Prepare Themselves

IOWA CITY Ia Dec 9—The first girls rifle team to be organized in the United States as been planned by C Ellis Williams of Iowa City's high school It is planned to give every girl in the school instructions in rifle practice The team to be organized however will shoot a regular schedule with other academy teams of the state Williams was a former crack shot on the state university team and was responsible for Iowa City's winning the national intercholastic championship four years ago

SPORT WAR KEEPS

War Keeps Sprinter Out of 1915 Games

One fighter at least will be missing when the annual University of Pennsylvania relay carnival begins April 23 in Philadelphia Every follower of athletics in this country probably remembers how A N S Jackson the tall Briton from Oxford university, defeated McCurdy of Pennsylvania in the final sprint of that desperate four-mile relay race and took the relay championship to England

Well, Jackson will not be on the starting line next April when the race starts because the Oxford man is now on the firing line in Belgium as a member of the King's Royal Rifles

Specialist Says Sports Injurious to Students

Here is an astonishing bit of testimony from Dr J B Thomas a New York specialist about the lack of resisting power in an overtrained athlete

An athlete who at some time he says, has strained his nervous system to actual collapse requires far greater care than a patient 70 years of age who has lived a normal life'

He referred especially to giving anesthetics and declared that in his practice of administering them the ex-athlete was almost invariably a source of solicitude

RUSSELL HEADS MAROONS

CHICAGO Dec 9 - Pete Russell, quarterback, was elected captain of the 1915 University of Chicago football team today. He succeeds Paul Des Jardien

SHARPE GIVE FIVE-YEAR CONTRACT AT CORNELL

ITHACA, N Y Dec 9—Dr Albert H Sharpe who has been coach of Cornell's football elevens for the last two years has been engaged to coach football baseball and basketball at Cornell for the next five years

Eddie Collins May Manage Sox; Consideration in Deal Will Be More Than $110,000

EDDIE COLLINS

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Eddie Collins, second baseman, was brought from the Philadelphia club of the American league by President Comiskey of the Chicago club in a strictly cash transaction, it developed tonight after Comiskey returned from New York. He said the deal involved at least $110,000, including Collins' salary for five years. Of this $50,000 is given as the purchase price.

It had been said that Comiskey would trade the Philadelphia club two players and some cash for Collins and that the player's contract made him manager of the Chicago Americans. These reports, Comiskey said, were incorrect. The contract provides that Collins shall be captain. Comiskey is still searching for an outfielder and a first baseman of Collins' caliber and from these three, a manager will be selected to succeed Callahan, who is needed in another capacity

THE INNOCENT BYSTANDER

COACHES TO REMAIN THE SAME

Coach Buckingham will remain at Denver university another year at least The Princeton star has a two-year contract in his trunk to tutor the wild youths of Colonel Buchtel's college in the arts of football Efforts have been made by a certain Denver newspaper to secure the appointment of John Fike mentor of the South Denver championship eleven, but in all probability Buckingham will remain No other changes in coaching staffs are being planned, or even whispered in any other conference schools Norgren has another year on his contract at Utah Folsom, in all probability will appear at the helm of Colorado U again next year

In his message to congress President Wilson failed to advocate the abolition of the Federal league news fake all America football selections white hopes and Charles W Murphy

Evidently Coach Brooke is just as popular among Penn football players as General Hindenburg is in Russia

The Sox have signed a chink named Jai-Tin Do your jesting early

A LA BAN

The Russians had captured 80 000 Germans

Glad of it, said the kaiser "they were damaged goods anyway

Ahearn who claims the championship of Europe, has probably never heard of der kaiser

The geek who first sprung that "here today and gone tomorrow gag was referring to a football coach

The statement of Murphy's that he has always highly esteemed his athletes should lead Evers Chance Tinker and others to sing that beautiful ballad "Perhaps it was right to dismemble your love but why did you kick me downstairs

DIRGE

The indoor baseball season's near
Ah would that fate could bead it
The indoor baseball season's near
And golly how we dread it'

HOW MARQUARD FELL

By John J McGraw

It is indeed a queer thing," said McGraw if there is no law in this land to punish deliberate tampering with legitimately signed players I need not tell you that the intrigues of the Federal league with mine and other players of the big leagues date far back—many months

"I do not know whether Robert B Ward has tried to stop payment on Marquard's check,' said he' "But that is his only way to get the $1,500 back, I fear Certainly, the New York club will never make restitution Marquard cannot if his tales of woe to me are true

He came to me for $500 advance I did not abuse nor ill-treat him, but only used my best to give him some fatherly advice because, from the time he first joined the club I was keenly interested in him His shortcomings aside he is a pitcher from the ground up 'Rube I said to him this sort of work has to stop Advancing money is all right—but where will you be next spring'

He then unfolded a hard luck tale of financial stress He said the war had ruined the theatrical game which limited the earning capacity of his family All right I said, I will see Mr Hempstead And if what you tell me is true I can assure you the money will be advanced'

Well we arranged an appointment for yesterday morning Instead of coming to me at the club offices Marquard went to Robert B Ward's office I was waiting for him when I heard he had signed with the Federal league

Yale Crews to Race Penn on New 1 1-2 Mile Course

NEW HAVEN Dec 9—Yale crews will row University of Pennsylvania crews on the Schuylkill on April 3, according to a university announcement today The plan is to send the first and second varsity eights to Philadelphia for races over a course one and a half miles in length This will be the first time in 20 years that Yale and Penn crews have met From the Yale point of view the races will furnish an idea of the material available for developing an eight to meet Harvard on the Thames river

Holeproof Hose

Men's $1.50 a Box and Higher Children $1.00 a Box

Robbins

SALE OF NEW YORK AMERICANS HELD UP BY ROW OVER PRICE; MAGNATES FAIL TO SPRING NEW SENSATIONS

Connie Mack Says He Will Not Leave Philly to Go to New York; Yanks Will Play on Polo Grounds for Next Two Years

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—"I won't leave Philadelphia," said Connie Mack of the Athletics today, when his attention was called to a report that he might manage the New York American league baseball team next year. "I am well satisfied here," he added.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—In sharp contrast to the sensational developments of yesterday, the annual meetings of the National and International leagues failed to produce more than routine announcements today. Even the deals planned by the American league, represented by President Ban Johnson and several club owners, hung fire and rumors supplanted facts.

President Johnson stated late tonight that there were no developments in the proposed change of ownership of the New York American league club, but he was in private conference during the day with Frank J. Farrell, the present executive of the club, and representatives of the New York National league club. It was stated an agreement had been reached whereby the local American league team would be permitted to play at the Polo grounds during 1915 and possibly 1916.

This agreement removed another obstacle in the way of completing the transfer of the club and it appears that the question of the price to be paid is the one detail to be arranged That this difference of opinion between Farrell and Col Jacob Ruppert the prospective purchaser may cause the deal to fall through was indicated by a remark made by Johnson tonight

President Farrell he said has named his price but Colonel Ruppert has not seen fit as yet to meet it

It was reported that Farrell had offered to sell his control for $450 000 which was $50,000 less than his original figure but the news upset that Johnson was endeavoring to interest in the club stand on their first offer of $400 000 During the evening the American league president denied a story from Philadelphia that the Athletics franchise had been sold to a new group of capitalists

President John K Tener said the National league magnates spent the whole afternoon in a discussion regarding the waiver rule and better cooperation among the league clubs

NEWS OF THE BOWLERS

JUNIOR LEAGUE AT OVERLAND

KING MOTOR CO				
O'Conner	128	139	184	452
Tillman	104	112	124	340
King	112	127	114	3[illegible]
Wood	154	127	111	39[illegible]
Edmondson	137	151	159	447
Totals	636	656	692	1794
TRADE WITH THE BOYS				
Pauline	133	151	182	466
Alex	136	1[illegible]6	169	401
Boulton	161	160	143	464
Harmony	190	164	154	4[illegible]
Reese	180	149	177	504
Totals	800	780	723	1843
PICKED TEAM				
Brown	155	187	1[illegible]	[illegible]
McGruder	178	212	146	536
Pennywitt	156	161	159	472
Meikle	134	155	161	450
Burgess	171	148	184	5[illegible]
Totals	794	873	822	2489
SUN DRUG CO				
Herzog	152	151	182	4[illegible]
Gallagher	196	158	1[illegible]	4[illegible]
Van Meter	180	179	155	514
Arnholt	2[illegible]	181	174	[illegible]
McReynolds	[illegible]	216	173	611
Totals	960	895	8[illegible]	2710

Iowa State Wants a Scholarship Coach

IOWA CITY Ia Dec 9—The Iowa university athletic board has passed a resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee to engage an assistant athletic coach who shall have as his chief duty the improvement of scholarship of the various athletes of the school The standard of scholarship among competing athletes is to be maintained as high as possible from now on say members of the board, and the new coach must discover those athletes who are lagging behind in their studies prod them along and in caseswhere it is necessary, tutor them past the danger mark.

Let Us Read a Lesson to All Box Fighters

CINCINNATI, Dec 9—To George Chaney featherweight boxer of Baltimore and his opponent of Friday nights battle in this city Benjamin Kaufman of Philadelphia came honors today that make a precedent in the history of boxing The Cincinnati boxing commission in special session passed resolutions bestowing the single thanks of the organization on the brilliant fight staged by the two boxers last night Fighters have been fined suspended or otherwise penalized but never before have a pair of pugilists received formal praise.

THE EL PASO NATIONAL BANK

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SURPLUS AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS $[illegible]
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Small Accounts Accepted Interest Paid on Deposits

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Surplus $[illegible]
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Of Colorado Springs, Colo
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Surplus $[illegible]
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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

NEW YORK MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The broader inquiry for investment issues which followed the recent announcement that the stock exchange will reopen next Saturday for dealings in stocks lost none of its scope today. Prices as a whole were fully maintained, and in one important instance—the new Nork city 6 per cent three-year notes—a new high record of 104¼ was attained. Bonds were inclined to react in the later dealings, the underlying issues of some southern roads showing marked declines.

Stocks moved more irregularly, according to the list submitted by the exchange, and the number of issues showed some contraction. About the only important stock that sold above yesterday's best was Reading, other erstwhile favorites pursuing a contrary course. There were rumors of some large private sales or settlements of outstanding accounts preliminary to stock market resumption.

Exchange on Berlin and Hamburg, while less active than recently, overshadowed all other features in the market for foreign remittances and gave fresh point to the belief that had its origin in heavy German selling here. Cables on Berlin touched 91, the highest quotation of the present movement.

Postponement of regular quarterly dividends by the New York Central & Hudson River railroad and Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway excited considerable discussion in the financial district, until it was learned that the two companies, which are to be consolidated at the beginning of the coming year, probably intend to declare a joint dividend on the increased capitalization.

Proposals for the shipment of a large amount of steel ties to Europe suggested a renewal of foreign buying of this character and the domestic situation was improved by the placing of some large orders for freight cars. General buying of a miscellaneous order was in excess of recent weeks, according to trade authorities, but far below the normal.

Copper was unaffected by reports of high prices for the metal in London, where sentiment was more cheerful, despite an uneven range for Americans. Some new financing at that center was successfully consummated.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Following are the closing prices issued by the stock exchange committee today:

	Last Sale
Amalgamated Copper	49
Beet Sugar	28¼
American Can	28¾
American Can, pfd	90¼
American Cotton Oil	34½
American Smelting	53½
Smelting, pfd	97
American Sugar	102
American Tel. and Tel.	117
American Tobacco	215
Atchison	91
Bethlehem Steel	40½
Brooklyn Transit	87
Canadian Pacific	155
Central Leather	35½
Chicago & Great Western	10
St. Paul	85
Colorado Fuel	22¾
Consolidated Gas	115½
Denver, pfd	10
Erie First	32
Great Northern Ore	26½
Illinois Central	104½
Inter. Met.	17⅞
Harvester	91¾
Lehigh	131¼
Missouri Pacific	9½
National Biscuit	124
National Lead	41⅞
New York Central	81⅞
New Haven	51¾
Norfolk & Western	98½
Northern Pacific	98
Ontario & Western	19¼
Pacific Mail	20
Pennsylvania	105½
People's Gas	116½
Reading	140
Rock Island	1
Rock Island, pfd	2
Union Pacific	115
Union Pacific, pfd	78
United States Rubber	48
Utah Copper	46⅝
Texas Oil	138

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Co.

	Bid.	Ask.	Sales
Amal. Copper	48	49¼	49
Alaska	24½	25	25
Amn. Beet Sugar	28½	28¾	28¼
Amn. Can	24⅛	25	
do pfd	90¼	90¾	
Amn. Car & Fdy.	112¾		
Amn. Cotton Oil	34½	34½	
Amn. Ice	22	23	
Am. Smelt.	53½		53
do pfd.	97	98	
Amn. Sugar	101	116	102
A. T. & T.	116¾	117	117
Amn. Tobacco	214	217½	215
Amn. Woolen, pfd.	77		77
Beth. Steel	40	40¼	40½
Brooklyn R. T.	86	87	87
Calif. Pet.	15⅜		16⅛
Canadian Pacific	155	156	155
Central Leather	34	36	35½
C. G. W.	8⅞	10	10
C. G. W. pfd.	25½	26	26
C. M. & St. Paul	84½	85¾	85
C. F. & I.	22¾	29	21⅞
Cons. Gas	115	116½	115½
Corn Products	8¾	8½	8¾
do pfd.	61½	65	60
D. & R. G. pfd.	10		10
Dist. Sec.	13		
Erie 1st pfd.	33	33½	33
G. N. Ore	27¼	26½	26
Ill. Central	104½		
Int. Met.	12⅞	13	12¾
Int. Harv.	91½	97¾	91½
Insp. Copper	15¾	15¾	15¼
Int. Paper	7	9¾	
do pfd.	33½		
K. C. S. pfd.	50		
Lehigh Valley	129	132	131¼
Mo. Pacific	9	10	8½
National Lead	41¾	42¾	41¼
N. Y. Central	80½	91¾	
N. Y. N. H. & H.	51¼	51½	51¾
N. Y. O. & W.	19¼	15⅞	18¾
Nor. Pacific	97	98	
Pacific T. & T.	25⅞	26	
Pennsylvania	105⅝	105½	105½
People's Gas	116	117½	116½
Ry Steel Spring	20		20¾
Reading	139¾	140	140
Rock Island	⅞	1¾	1
do pfd.	2	2¾	1¾
Texas Oil	180½	135	138
Union Pacific	114	115	114⅞
U. S. Rubber	48		
do 1st pfd.	98½	101	
Utah Copper	46	46¾	46⅞
Woolworth com.	90¼		
Amn. Sugar pfd.	110¼		111
Amn. Bag & Paper	18¼		
North. Amn.	65	72	
Mackay Bennett	68¾	70	69¼
Nat'l Enamel	10½	11	
Tenn. Copper	28	30	28

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Butter unchanged.

Eggs higher; receipts, 4,131 cases; at mark, cases included, 20@28c; ordinary firsts, 26@28c; firsts, 30@30c.

Potatoes unchanged; receipts, 22 cars.

Poultry, alive, higher; springs 12½@13c; fowls, 11@11½c; turkeys, 14c.

CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Possibilities that the kaiser's death might lead to a sudden peace had much to do today with bringing about a decided downturn in the price of wheat. The market closed heavy, ⅝@1c to 1⅛c under last night. Corn finished 1-16c to ⅛c off, oats down ⅛@⅜c to ¼c, and provisions varying from 5c decline to a rise of 2½c.

Statements that the kaiser had pneumonia and was in a serious condition made news regarding him become all at once of prime importance to the wheat pit. It was not, however, until the last hour of trading that his illness had any effect on the market, as up to that time the ailment was supposed to be merely an ordinary cold. On the other hand, traders were quick to act on the idea that the treacherous nature of pneumonia might easily in his case result in more immediate radical changes of the European situation than the military outlook had seemed to warrant. The selling that followed was shared in by some of the largest houses on 'change.

Previous to the flurry about Emperor William's condition the wheat market had shown a hardening tendency due to export sales, frost in Argentina, and to talk of persistent lack of adequate moisture for the winter crop in western Kansas. Primary receipts continued surprisingly large, but were perhaps fully offset by advices of a big decrease of the seeded area of winter wheat in Russia.

Export sales of 300,000 bushels made the corn market comparatively firm, despite the weakness of wheat. Wet weather and the consequent lessening of receipts tended also toward steady prices, although speculative selling caused at one time a moderate sag. Oats suffered from the slowness of eastern demand. Shorts here were principal buyers.

Provisions rallied in sympathy with the hog market. The effect wore away, however, when subsequently the advance at the yards was lost.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Co.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	116⅞	116⅞	115⅜	115⅝
May	121¾	121¾	120¼	120⅜
Corn—				
Dec.	62⅜	62⅜	62	62⅜
May	68⅞	68⅞	68¼	68½
Oats—				
Dec.	47½	47½	46⅞	47
May	51½	51½	51	51¼
Pork—				
Jan.	18.22	18.22	18.12	18.12
May	18.62	18.62	18.52	18.52
Ribs—				
Jan.	9.82	9.82	9.77	9.77
May	10.05	10.05	9.97	9.97
Lard—				
Jan.	9.77	9.77	9.77	9.77
May	10.12	10.12	10.07	10.07

NEW YORK CURB

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Co.

	Bid.	Ask.
Braden Copper	6⅛	6⅝
Br. Amn. Tobacco	16¼	17
do new	16¼	17
Brit. Col.	½	1
Cons. Copper	1	1¼
Davis Daly	⅝	1
Ely Cons.	⅞	
El Paso	1	2
Giroux	½	1
Goldfield Cons.	1½	1¾
Greene Can. new	23	26
Hollinger	18	19½
Kerr Lake	4¾	5
Keystone	⅝	1½
La Rose	⅝	⅞
Marconi	2⅛	2½
Mason Valley		1½
McKinley	55	65
Nevada Hills	32	35
Nipissing	5½	5¾
North Star	15	20
Ohio Copper	8	15
Riker Hegeman	7¾	8
Stewart	1⅜	1½
Tob. Prod. pfd.	82	86
Tonopah Belmont	4½	4¾
Tonopah Mines	7¼	7½
United Cigar Stores	9½	9¾
West End	50	60
Wettlaufer	4	8
Atlanta	50	56
G. F. Meyer	38	43

SUGAR

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Raw sugar steady; molasses, $3.24; centrifugal, $3.89; refined steady.

NEVADA STOCKS

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Co.

	Bid.	Ask.
Goldfield District—		
Atlanta	54	56
Booth	14	15
Blue Bull	5	6
C. O. D.	10	11
Combination Fr.	12	13
Daisy	8	9
Florence	64	65
Goldfield Con.	155	160
Jumbo Ext.	235	240
Merger	38	39
Spearhead	23	24
Silver Pick	14	15
Vernal		10
Yellow Tiger	6	7
Manhattan District—		
Manhattan Con.	5	
White Cap	5	
Ore	11	12
Sand Kendall	11	12
Kewanos	22	23
Great Bend	..	11
Comstock District—		
Con. Va.	10	11
Hale & Norcross		2
Mexican		30
Ophir	8	10
Sierra Nevada	4	5
Union	8	9
Tonopah District—		
Belmont	4½	
Cash Boy	3	5
Gipsy Queen	1	2
Jim Butler	74	75
Merger	38	39
Midway	9	10
Monarch P. Ex.	3	4
Montana	37	
McNamara	5	6
North Star	17	18
Ree de Eula	7	8
Tonopah Ex.	275	
West End	56	57
Other Districts—		
Fitts. Silver Peak	15	
Nevada Hills		34
Round Mountain	..	34

METAL MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Tin quiet, $32.00@33.00.

Copper firm; electrolytic, $12.87@13.00; castings, $12.67@12.87.

Iron quiet and unchanged.

At London:

Spot copper, £56, 5s; futures, £56, 7s, 6d.

Spot tin, £146; futures, £144, 10s.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9.—Lead nominal, $3.67½; spelter stronger, $5.55@5.65.

MONEY ON CALL

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Mercantile paper, 4¼ to 4½ per cent.

Bar silver, 49⅝c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Call money steady; high 4 per cent, low 3½ per cent, ruling rate 3½ per cent.

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' and Men's

Initial, 25c, 35c, 50c

Plain 25c to $1.00

Linen or Silk.

Robbins

COLORADO SPRINGS STOCK QUOTATIONS

MINES

	Bid.	Ask.
Acacia	03	03½
C. C. Con.	007	01
C. K. & N.	05½	06
Dante	03	04
Dr. Jack Pot	07½	08½
Elkton	41	42½
El Paso	120	150
Fanny R.	01	02½
Findley	01¾	02
Gold Dollar Con.	04	06
Gold Sov.	01	02
Isabella	11¾	12¼
Jack Pot	06	07
Jennie Sample	03	05
Lexington	..	01½
Mary McKinney	40	42
Old Gold	007	02
Pharmacist	..	02
Portland	115	116
Vindicator	109	120

UNLISTED

	Bid.	Ask.
Jerry J.	03	04
U. G. M.	03½	04

PROSPECTS

	Bid.	Ask.
Banner	009	02
Black Jack	005	01
Bob Lee	..	001
Fauntleroy	..	02
Gold Bond	..	02
Home	..	006
Kittie Lane	003	01
Mary Nevins	..	03½
New Haven	..	005
Raven & B. H.	03½	03½
Requa Savage	007	..
Rose M.	005	..
Rose N.	005	..

MISCELLANEOUS

	Bid.	Ask.
Blanche	001	..
Flower West	0025	01
O. K.	..	005
Texas Girl	..	01

SEPARATE SALES

C. K. & N., 8,000 at 5¼; Elkton, 2,000 at 42; Doctor, 2,000 at 7¾; Vindicator, 100 at 110; U. G. M., 4,000 at 3¾; Black Jack, 10,000 at 006.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK

ST. JOSEPH, Dec. 9.—Hogs—Receipts 9,000; 5 to 10c higher; top, $6.30; bulk, $6.90@7.15.

Cattle—Receipts 1,900; steady to strong; steers, $7.00@10.00; cows and heifers, $4.75@8.00; calves, $6.00@9.50.

Sheep—Receipts 2,500; 25@35c higher; lambs, $7.50@8.50.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9.—Hogs—Receipts 7,500; higher; pigs and lights, $6.25@7.55; mixed and butchers, $7.40@7.55; good heavy, $7.45@7.50.

Cattle—Receipts 5,000; higher; native beef steers, $7.50@10.75; cows and heifers, $5.00@9.25; southern steers, $5.75@7.75; cows and heifers, $4.00@6.00; native calves, $6.00@10.00.

Sheep—Receipts 1,000; higher; native muttons, $4.75@5.60; lambs, $8.00@8.40; yearlings, $5.50@7.25.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 9.—Hogs—Receipts 7,000; steady; bulk, $6.95@7.25; heavy, $7.10@7.25; pigs, $6.00@6.75.

Cattle—Receipts 6,000; steady; prime fed steers, $9.25@10.50; western steers, $7.00@9.25; calves, $6.50@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts 5,000; higher; lambs, $7.50@8.15; yearlings, $6.25@7.25.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Hogs—Receipts 30,000; strong; mostly 10c above yesterday's average; bulk, $7.00@7.55; heavy, $6.85@7.60; pigs, $5.25@7.50.

Cattle—Receipts 16,000; firm; native steers, $5.70@10.70; western, $5.25@8.40; calves, $6.25@9.00.

Sheep—Receipts 13,000; strong; sheep, $5.20@6.15; lambs, $6.30@8.50.

SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

WE EAT TOO MUCH MEAT WHICH CLOGS KIDNEYS, THEN THE BACK HURTS

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble. Adv.

IF ALLIES CONQUER GERMANY GREAT BRITAIN WILL HAVE TO FIGHT RUSSIANS SOME TIME

Afghanistan Is Buffer State Between Slav and Anglo-Saxon Interests in Far-away Asiatic Possessions

By PHILIP EVERETT

LONDON, Dec. 9.—If the allies conquer Germany Great Britain will have to fight Russia, according to many thoughtful observers. War between Russia and Turkey started officially November 1. Only a few days afterward it was learned through German sources that the Ameer of Afghanistan, Habibullah Khan, had started to march against India with an army 170,000 strong.

Official British sources were discreetly silent on this new development, leaving us to infer that the Berlin report was true. In high quarters here it was said the ameer was going out to fight the Russians to the north of his "buffer state" as well as the Tommies on the Indian northwest frontier.

This attack by the savage tribesmen of Mohammedan Afghanistan will bother India a lot and hamper her in her efforts to assist the allies in France, but more interesting still is the curious situation of Russo-British affairs in this far off corner of the earth.

Battle Ground for Century.

For a century the British from the south and the Russians from the north have fought in Persia, Afghanistan and Beluchistan, sometimes openly, sometimes with the covert weapons of diplomacy and intrigue, but always conflicting. The rulers of Afghanistan have become used to taking a British bribe with one hand and a bag of Russian gold with the other.

Then came what to the Afghan was a howling joke, the most humorous international incident of all time. The Russians and the British composed their differences. It was the new German peril to both that did it.

They divided up Persia rather barefacedly. The boundary line drawn across the helpless country was supposed to separate "spheres of interest" but every native knew what it meant. Russia acknowledged British rule in Beluchistan and British predominance in the affairs of Afghanistan.

It was a most amusing farce, the Afghans concluded, especially as in their own country intrigue seemed to continue and any high official with an easy conscience had no trouble at all in lining his coffers with London or Petrograd gold.

Situation in Afghanistan.

Afghanistan, nominally under the protectorate of Great Britain, is really the most independent of Mohammedan countries. The ameer keeps foreigners out of his territory pretty effectually and his only important connection with King George V seems to be the condescending acceptance of a yearly stipend.

It is to be remembered in trying to figure out this Afghan puzzle that India has been the goal of Russian ambitions since the time of Peter the Great and that the desire for a route to India is the principal motive in the long Russian struggle to gain Constantinople.

India covers 1,766,000 square miles, which is as much as all Europe outside of Russia. Its population is about 300,000,000, nor nearly double Russia's, and its revenue in 1913 was nearly half a billion. It is Great Britain's richest imperial prize, indeed, it is the most important colony the world has ever known.

When Peter the Great, after giving his semibarbarous nation outlets on the Baltic, the Black sea and the Caspian, died, he left this admonition to his successors:

"Keep in mind that the commerce of India is the commerce of the world, and that he who can exclusively control it is the dictator of Europe."

Anglo-Russian Struggle.

The Nineteenth century's history is filled with the struggle of Great Britain and Russia, but the contest for Constantinople has somewhat overshadowed the rivalry on the long, vague boundary line of south central Asia.

Some facts have been to striking to escape notice—too obvious to be explained away. For instance, from Siberia the Russians have poured southward and overrun Outer Mongolia. They are, in fact, predominant right up to Thibet, where in the last 15 years the British have assumed control. Through Outer Mongolia the Russians have constructed one of the finest highways in the world, running 700 miles south and east from Siberia.

This is the shortest route for the czar's Siberian troops to get to India, going through a part of China so far away from Pekin that they were able almost to complete the road before the enterprise was suspected by the other great nations interested.

Now Russia is guaranteeing the integrity of Outer Mongolia, but despite this she has kept an enormous number of trained troops here. The road and the Siberian army have constituted a "pistol pointed at the heart of India," to use the famous phrase said of Antwerp's situation toward England.

No Troops in Siberia Now.

Now Siberia is denuded of first-line troops—they are doing great deeds in the forest of Poland. But after this war is over they will be back again, ready when the time comes to pour down into the rich lands of India.

This is only one of the routes Russia may take in consummating the object left as Peter's heritage. It will be remembered that as far back as 1800, when Napoleon Bonaparte was still supreme, Great Britain discovered that Czar Alexander proposed to invade India through Persia. The English then began negotiations with the ameer of Afghanistan and erected her as a buffer state between Russia and British Asia. Russia outwardly yielded and pledged herself to make no communication to the ameer except through the British.

But a few brief years later the presence of a Russian mission at Cabul, the ameer's capital, brought about the first Afghan war of the British, 1838-1842.

The British helped Ali Khan to the throne of the ameers in 1858 and supplied him money an ammunition to defend his western frontiers against the Russians. Russia soon was predominant at Cabul again, and this, in 1878, precipitated the second Afghan war. The third Afghan war, 1879-1880, followed in short order.

Where Roberts Made Name.

The late Lord Roberts led the British forces and defeated the mountaineers decisively at Kandahar, from which he often was called "Roberts of Kandahar." He was cheering his Indian veterans on the plains of Belgium this autumn when he fell ill with pneumonia and died.

Throughout these troubles the victory on the face of it was always with the British but at heart the Russians kept secret control. In 1880 the czar's emissaries succeeded in persuading the Afghans to elect as their ameer Abdurrahman, whom the British had taken great pains to drive out of the country a short time before.

The British were obliged to accept Abdurrahman. In 1885 Lord Dufferin, then governor general of India, induced the ameer to pay a visit to Calcutta and got him to accept British subsidies to reorganize his army and improve the civil administration of his backward country.

Back in Cabul, however, the ameer became haughty and indifferent to British advice, although never refusing the regular annual subsidy.

The present ameer is Abdurrahman's son. Like his father, he has preserved a cold, indifferent attitude to the British overtures. Indeed, he has gone so far in his snubbing of British officials the the czar has frequently been displeased. The czar, it will be remembered, now outwardly acknowledges the right of the British to dictate at Cabul. As an example of the "control" the British are able to exercise in Afghanistan the farcical visit of Sir Louis Dane, foreign secretary at Calcutta, to Cabul in 1904 may be taken.

Ameer Impressive Personage.

The ameer is a stout, sallow man, with a heavy black beard and immobile features. Behind his impressive countenance are a great intelligence and an even greater vanity. With great condescension the ameer received the presents so carefully selected at Calcutta. These included a $2,000 automobile for his own use and a moving picture machine for his harem. The ameer did not conceal his delight at these toys.

But when the British, judging this the psychological moment, presented the draft of their new treaty, the ameer quickly froze into the proud Mohammedan ruler again. He curtly declined the treaty and offered one of his own. Dane had to wait six weeks to communicate with Calcutta and London. To avoid the blandishments of his guests in this period, the ameer disappeared and it was given out he had taken to his bed with the gout. He could see no one except members of his household and these are all said to be in the pay of Russia.

Dane received authority to sign the ameer's treaty, but the ameer had not changed his mind and would only renew the declaration of friendship signed by his father.

When the British left it was to the accompaniment of seven phonographs set going all at once by the gleeful ladies behind the curtains and lattices of the harem.

In 1907 the ameer visited Calcutta for the first time, but to keep the anti-British section of his countrymen in good humor he at the same time published in Afghanistan a declaration that he had abrogated the treaty signed with Dane.

It is safe to say that the present war has filled the ameer with great joy.

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WHAT THE PRESS AGENTS SAY

"LIFE'S SHOP WINDOW"

At the Empress today, for one day only, the special feature attraction will be the five-reel Box Office attraction, "Life's Shop Window." A "Victoria Cross" masterpiece, adapted from the popular play and novel, featuring Claire Whitney and Stuart Holmes. It is not necessary to explain the beauty of this production further than to say that over 4,000,000 copies of the book were sold since its publication, and the stage play created a sensation. From the Moving Picture World, under date of November 21, 1914, we gather the following facts: That 28,000 paid admissions at the Academy of Music, New York city, were the actual number of persons who witnessed this sensational film production, and the price paid was 10 times the amount that will be charged our patrons. An extract from the dialogue follows:

The villain, Eustace Pelham, says:

"In our youth, with money in our hands, we stand and stare into the brilliant shop windows of life. Before us stands the door of life's great shop, crowded with wonderful, glittering, golden toys. Each toy is a destiny, a career, whatever you may choose to call it—a program of an individual life. We may choose one toy, paying with what we have, our youth, our minds, our beauty; but we can choose just one, no more. Poor, puzzled youth, that is where the heartache comes, when you have bought your toy, and can't understand that what you wanted was what you were attracted by, was the whole brilliant display, not the one poor little thing you chose."

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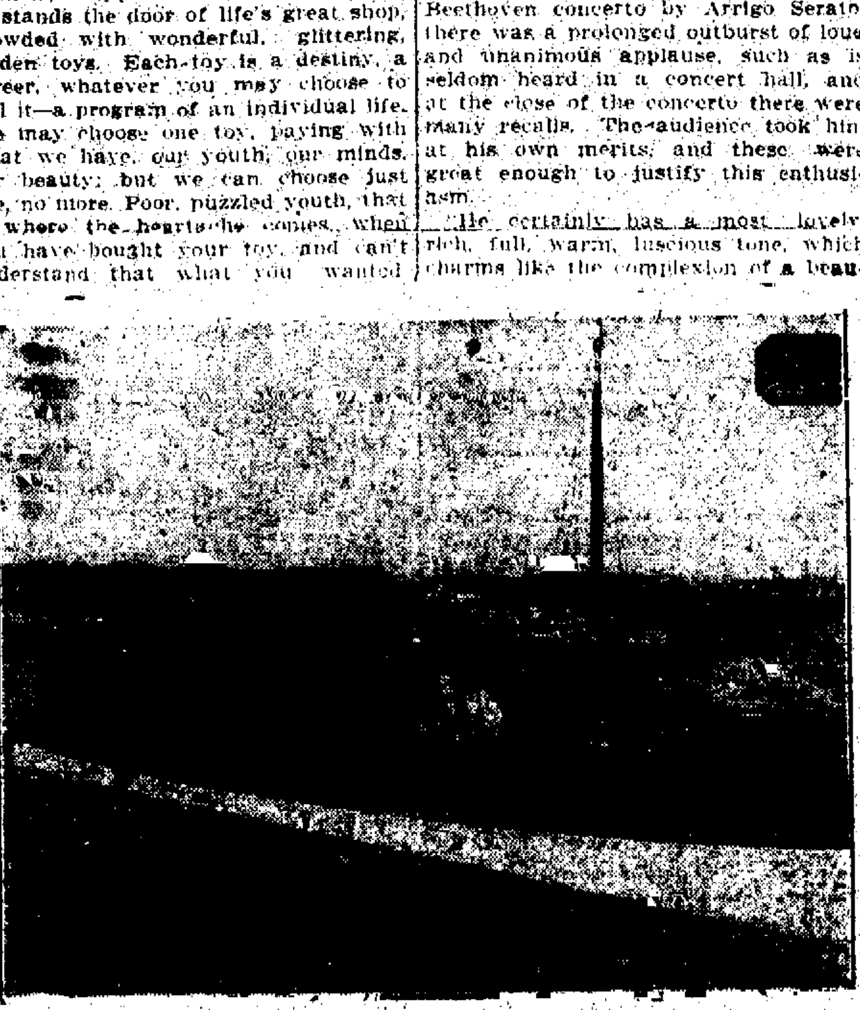

A SCENE FROM "UNCLE TOM'S CABIN," A FIVE-REEL FEATURE, OPERA HOUSE, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE

A high-class bill opened at the Opera house yesterday. "The Stewart Sisters and Escorts," in a carnival of dances and pantomime, are marvels of grace and agility. The young women are strikingly pretty and wore effective and dainty costumes. In their poses in their last number, in pink and white costumes, they looked like exquisite figures in rare Dresden china. Their men escorts were excellent foils for their beauty and all are clever dancers.

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DuPree Brothers were well received in a fine singing and dancing act, introducing many late hits new to local theatergoers. Nelson, the comedy juggler, did not appear as booked, owing to severe illness contracted in Salt Lake City.

The Pathe weekly and a two-reel feature made up a very good show, and from all indications should draw capacity houses today, the last day here.

"THE YELLOW TICKET"

"The Yellow Ticket," a new play by Michael Morton, will be the attraction at the Opera house Monday evening, December 14.

This is the play which followed "Within the Law" at the Eltinge theater, New York city. It has been selected by A. H. Woods, the producer, in the conviction that it will be as universal in its appeal to the general public as was its predecessor. The chief incidents of the drama have been taken from life in modern Russia, and the author spent some time in St. Petersburg, in order to acquire the proper atmosphere, which "The Yellow Ticket" is said to contain to a surprising degree.

"Your play," said a fellow playwright in England to Mr. Morton, after reading the manuscript of "The Yellow Ticket," "not only deals with Russia—it is Russia." This, declares the author, is the highest compliment which he has received so far for his work. In the splendid company which will interpret Mr. Morton's drama will be seen Belle Mitchell, Warren Orland, Edward Foley, John Rayold, Louis Hartman, Dorothy Ellis, Arthur Maitland, Reginald Carrington and others.

SERATO IN NEW YORK

"After the first movement of the Beethoven concerto by Arrigo Serato, there was a prolonged outburst of loud and unanimous applause, such as is seldom heard in a concert hall, and at the close of the concerto there were many recalls. The audience took him at his own merits, and these were great enough to justify this enthusiasm.

"He certainly has a most lovely, rich, full, warm, luscious tone, which charms like the complexion of a beautiful girl. But that is the only feminine feature of his playing. He gave of the concerto a virile performance, such as Beethoven himself would have approved of. That great master wanted his music, above all things, to be alive, and it was because Arrigo Serato made it alive that the audience liked it so much.

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Serato appears at the Burns December 16, under direction of the Colorado Springs Musical club.

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SENATE WILL INVESTIGATE SUPPLIES SENT TO CANADA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The senate has adopted a resolution introduced by Senator Hitchcock, requesting the secretary of commerce to report on the extent of shipment of arms and other munitions of war to belligerent nations of Europe or to Canada. Hitchcock introduced it.

Senator Lodge introduced a resolution to create a national security commission to investigate the military preparedness of the United States.

STATE BANKS REQUEST RESERVE RULE CHANGE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Representatives of state banks suggested to the federal reserve board that the bank law be modified that state institutions might enter and leave the system at will. Aside from this one suggestion, the state bankers in conference with the federal board made no recommendations, but announced that they desired to have more time to consider questions of how they shall be admitted.

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THOROUGHLY modern 3-room apartment with sleeping porch, well heated. 304 E. Monument.

WANTED—Young man to share furnished apartment; steam heat, bath, $1 per week. 723 North Weber.

LARGE, warm southeast corner room, with board. 219 E. Yampa.

SEVERAL desirable rooms, also room with sleeping porch. 817 N. Cascade.

12-ROOM house, 930 N. Weber. Inquire Smith Packing Co.

ROOMS and sleeping porches for rent. 1328 N. Tejon. Phone 2021.

MODERN room. 815 N. Cascade. Main 1892.

2 OR 4-room apts., mod.; private baths, heat, light; near college. Phone 2196.

TWO nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; close in. 425 E. St. Vrain.

ONE large room, close in; men only; winter rates. 315 E. St. Vrain.

WANTED To Rent Rooms

ROOM with sleeping porch and kitchen privileges. W-..., Gazette.

FOR SALE Miscellaneous

TWO dressers, two 9x12 rugs, G. O. Ex. table, 6 chairs, rockers, arm chair, three-panel screen, carpet sweeper, G. O. center table, Mhg. music cabinet, with sliding shelves, electric iron, lace curtains, pillows, sanitary couch, lap robe, violin bows, fine double violin case, dishes, cooking utensils. Goods are good as new. Owner has stored them. Says sell. Call at once. 130 S. Cascade. Phone 253.

FOR SALE—Weekly paper and job plant in Colorado town of about 5,000. Good thing for right party. Present owner unable to look after the property, so is willing to dispose of same at the right price. For particulars, address X. Y. Z., care Gazette, Colorado Springs, Colo.

JOB printing press, motor, fountain; some type, Oliver typewriter and stand; bicycle, electrical fixtures, chandeliers, lamp, etc. Phone 887. 9 S. Cascade.

PIANO AT GREAT SACRIFICE

$600 Mathushek upright; light mahogany case; first-class condition; only $125 cash. Can be seen at the El Paso Lumber Co.

FOR SALE—Cheap, complete set of Encyclopedia Brittanica, ninth edition, cloth bound, good condition. 1411 N. Weber.

A FEW of those excellent Dundee tailored suits, uncalled for, $10, $12 and $15. Dundee Woolen Mills, 124 E. Pikes Peak Ave.

APPLES! APPLES! APPLES!—Choice apples, per barrel, $1.00. J. R. Marks, 23 E. Huerfano.

BEAUTIFUL three-piece set furs; almost new; cost $125; sell, $85. Main 4067W.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One Reading motorcycle, one tandem bicycle. Apply at the Emporium.

SMOOTH-HAIRED English fox terrier pups; male, $5; female, $3. Phone Red 172.

COMPLETE set of Billy Sunday sermons during his campaign here. W-4, Gazette.

PAIR solitaire earrings, carat and fraction each; make fine presents. Address W-5, Gazette.

FOR SALE—500 shares of Okla. oil stock to trade for good typewriter. Phone Main 3702W.

5 SACKS kindling, $1.00; block wood, 50c per 100 lbs. J. P. Hass & Co. Phone 690. 331 W. Bijou St.

TWO silk basque dresses, white wool dress, gray suit, checked coat, size 36; no sickness. 219 N. Wahsatch.

$425 PIANO, owner left town, says sell; any reasonable offer accepted. 1720 Lincoln Ave.

SEVERAL diamond rings, 2 large oil paintings; beautiful presents; cheap. 928 N. Weber.

JOB lot calendars, all descriptions; salesman's samples; a bargain. 923 N. Weber.

SPLIT kindling, 8 sacks, $1.50; 11 sacks, $2; pine blocks, $2.50 for 300 lbs. Main 2141.

LOT poplar locker doors, 25c ea.; suitable for rabbit hutches. Ph. 4005W.

$500.00 NEW upright piano, $200.00 cash, if taken quick. P. O. Box 58, City.

$300 UPRIGHT piano for $150. Call 408 E. Bijou.

GRAVEL for sale. Let me gravel your driveway or yard. Stark. Main ...

ALL new heaters, 20 per cent off. Douglas, 31 S. Cascade.

SEWING machine for sale or rent. 24 E. Costilla.

ALL kind Christmas wreaths, all size; trees for sale, cheap. Ph. Main 1801.

TWO long coats, 34-36; light silk dress. Phone Main 2176.

HOLSTEIN and Jersey heifer, will be fresh in spring. Call 933 S. Baltic.

LOST

SMALL Indian bag; is beaded; lost yesterday afternoon, between Wells-Fargo Express Co. and Brown's Business college. Reward if returned to Gazette.

LOST—Small fox terrier about one month ago, slightly lame in right hind leg, wore braided leather collar. Walker Van Riper, 1010 N. Wahsatch.

LOST—On Weber or Nevada Ave., between Dale and Costilla Sts., prest-o-lite tank from auto. Reward for return to Gazette office.

LOST—Small, round brooch with cluster of five flowers having diamond in center of each, Sunday. Reward. Return to Gazette.

I BUY, sell or trade real estate, income for dry land; houses sold on easy payments to suit. A. C. Hahn, 925 N. Weber. Phone 4006W.

LOST—Wednesday evening, dark plush laprobe, green on one side. Please return to Gazette.

LOST—Wagon tire, between Cloverdale dairy and gate of Star ranch. Return to Hillis Blacksmith Shop.

SUNBURST brooch, diamond and pearl setting, either in Opera House Pharmacy or on street. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Lady's right-hand kid glove, "Centauri" on button. Please return to Gazette.

LOST—Nov. 28, on Lincoln highway, black auto glove, size 8½, right hand. "Updegraff" make. Reward, this office.

LOST—Lady's gold watch; open face; monogram, J. E. L., on watch pin. Reward for return to Gazette.

IVER JOHNSON bicycle, taken from in front of Gazette Bldg., Thursday, Dec. 3. Return to Gazette.

LOST—Octagonal hub cap from Abbott Detroit machine, on Canon City road. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Pocket ledger, from buttermilk wagon; valuable to owner only. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Sat., Nov. 28, lady's long, black pocketbook with one $10 bill and change. Reward at this office.

LOST—Small, brown purse, in P. O., containing $5 bill, key and some change. Please return to this office.

LOST—Bar pin, set with pearls, between Busy Corner and Santa Fe depot.

LOST—Brown pocketbook; receipts B. of R. T. lodge. R. T. Threlkeld. Please return to Gazette office.

GOLD chain (small links), on Manitou car. Reward at this office.

LOST—Lady's pocketbook, containing a $5 bill and 50c. Return to Gazette.

LOST—1-qt. Thermos bottle on about Nov. 24. Reward, this office.

LOST—Child's kid glove, size O. Right hand.

LOST—On Cascade Ave., a rhinestone bow pin. Reward, this office.

LOST—Gold link cuff button. Reward at Gazette office.

$10 BILL—Monday, near Antlers hotel. Liberal reward. Gazette.

LOST—Bunch of keys, in south end. Reward, Gazette.

BUNDLE of soiled laundry. Return to Gazette. Probably left on Canon car.

LOST—Pearl-handle knife, two blades. Reward. Ray Chapman, City Hall.

LOST Single-bar Iver Johnson wheel, No. 216277. Reward at Gazette.

FOLDING billbook, containing money and papers. Reward at Gazette.

COLORADO SPRINGS GAZETTE
60 CENTS A MONTH

LEGAL NOTICES

AN ORDINANCE

THE ANNUAL APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE, 1915.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:

Section 1. That a tax levy of six and seven-tenths mills (.006 7-10) be and the same is hereby levied upon each dollar of the assessed valuation of all taxable property within the City of Colorado Springs as a tax for City purposes during the fiscal year 1915.

Section 2. Appropriation of Revenues—That the respective sums of money hereinafter specified be and the same hereby are appropriated to the five several departments of the City of Colorado Springs and to the Public Library and to the Park Commission to meet the current expenses of performing the duties and exercising the powers of the City of Colorado Springs payable during the fiscal year 1915, beginning with the first day of January, 1915, and ending with the thirty-first day of December, 1915;

That the appropriation herein provided, to the amount of $469,513.57, be met out of the revenues of the City for the year 1915, and out of the surplus remaining as a credit to the City at the close of the thirty-first day of December, 1914, not including any money raised by a loan or needed to carry out the requirements of any statute, trust or special appropriation:

That there is hereby appropriated to the Department of Water and Waterworks the sum of $186,000.00 for items estimated as follows:

Water sinking fund requirements	$85,000.00
Interest on water bonds	56,800.00
Maintenance of system and construction, including shelter pavilion at Prospect lake	46,200.00

That there hereby is appropriated to the Department of Finance the sum of $72,603.57 for items estimated as follows:

ATTORNEY'S DEPARTMENT:		
Salaries and office expense	$ 3,185.00	
AUDITOR'S DEPARTMENT:		
Salaries and office expense	2,175.00	
COMMISSIONERS:		
Salaries (4)	8,000.00	
CLERK'S DEPARTMENT:		
Salaries and office expense, including salary of Inspector of Weights and Measures	4,965.00	
CIVIL SERVICE DEPARTMENT:		
Salary of Sec'y and office expense	865.00	
DAMAGES AND JUDGMENTS, including Krans & San Miguel St. settlement	1,500.00	
DONATIONS:		
Associated Charities	$ 750.00	
Band Concerts	3,000.00	
Chamber of Commerce	1,500.00	
Humane Society	650.00	
P. P. Poultry Assoc.	60.00	
Reed Library Assoc.	250.00	
Union Depot Commission	75.00	
Visiting Nurses Assoc.	400.00	
		6,685.00
FORESTRY DEPARTMENT:		
Salary of Forester and other expen ses		3,150.00
INTEREST ON GENERAL CORPORATE BONDS:		
Bridge and viaduct	$1,020.00	
City Hall	4,400.00	
Sewer	3,000.00	
Flood Emergency Warrants	1,780.00	
		10,200.00
MAYOR'S DEPARTMENT:		
One-half Salary and office expense	2,000.00	
POLICE MAGISTRATE:		
Salary and office expense	1,275.00	
TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT:		
Salary and office expense	1,925.00	
SPECIAL MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS:		
Auditing City Accounts	$ 450.00	
Cost of collection of taxes	2,500.00	
Contingent Account	200.00	
Election Expenses (city 1915)	3,250.00	
Firemen's Relief Fund	1,000.00	
Legal Expenses	600.00	
Miscellaneous account	450.00	
Playgrounds Commission	900.00	
Premium on Employe's Bonds	425.00	
Printing Monthly Reports	500.00	
Printing Annual Report (F)	175.00	
Printing Legal Advertisements	500.00	
Policemen's Relief Fund	880.00	
Refunding City Hall Bond Ex.	300.00	
Special Assessment Taxes vs. City property	3,408.57	
		15,538.57
TO GENERAL SINKING FUND for payment on bonds and warrants		12,200.00
Divided as follows:		
Bridge and Viaduct	3,000.00	
Sewer	2,200.00	
Flood Emergency Warrants	7,000.00	
To Special Fund for Hospital for contagious diseases		500.00

That there is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Safety the sum of $78,150.00 for items estimated as follows:

Electrical department	$ 6,650.00
Fire Department	37,750.00
Police Department	33,750.00

That there is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works and Property the sum of $89,450.00 for items estimated as follows:

Engineering Department	$ 9,750.00
Public Bldgs. & Grounds	5,500.00
Streets, Alleys, Bridges, Viaducts, etc.	47,000.00
Street Lighting	25,000.00
Street Signs	1,200.00
Painting Lamp Posts	1,000.00

That there is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Sanitation the sum of $36,150.00 for items estimated as follows:

Health Department	$13,400.00
Sewer Department	7,800.00
Weighmaster's Department	950.00
Evergreen Cemetery	12,000.00
Evergreen Cemetery (Endowed Portion)	2,000.00
Evergreen Cemetery Reserve	300.00

That there is hereby appropriated to the Public Library the sum of $8,660.00;

That there is hereby appropriated to the Park Commission the sum of $26,500.00 for items estimated as follows:

Maintenance	$21,000.00
New Bridges in Canon	2,000.00
Pavilion in Monument Valley Park	1,500.00
Construction and Equipment	2,000.00

Section 3. That the City Clerk be and he hereby is directed to certify to the County Assessor of El Paso County, State of Colorado, the total tax levy of Six and seven-tenths mills (.006 7-10) herein provided as the tax levy of the City of Colorado Springs for City purposes during the year 1915.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be published as required by the Charter and shall have effect and be in force from and after the thirty-first day of December, 1914.

Passed December 9, 1914.
A. J. LAWTON,
President of the Council.

Attest:
CHAS. CHAPMAN,
City Clerk.

Approved December 9, 1914.
A. J. LAWTON,
(Seal) Acting Mayor.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing Ordinance, entitled "THE ANNUAL APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE, 1915," was introduced and read at a regular meeting of the City Council, held on the 25th day of November, 1914. That said Ordinance was passed at a regular meeting of the City Council of said City, held on the 9th day of December, 1914, and the same was published in full in The Colorado Springs Gazette, a newspaper published and in general circulation in said City, at least ten days before its passage.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City this 9th day of December, A. D. 1914.

CHAS. CHAPMAN,
(Seal) City Clerk.

Railroad Time Tables

DENVER & RIO GRANDE

Effective November 8, 1914.
City Ticket Office, 123 E. Pikes Peak Ave. Phone Main 96.

SOUTH, EAST AND WEST.

No.	TO	Leaves
1	Salt Lake City and Pacific Coast	10:35 am
5	Salt Lake City and Pacific Coast	11:45 am
9	Pueblo, Canon City, Kansas City and St. Louis	2:55 pm
11	Pueblo, Wichita, Kansas City and St. Louis	6:10 pm
15	Salida, Leadville, Grand Junction, Ouray, Telluride, Alamosa and Durango	10:32 pm

NORTH TO DENVER AND DENVER CONNECTIONS.

No.	FROM	Leaves
16	Grand Junction, Leadville, Telluride, Ouray, Salida, Durango and Alamosa	4:45 am
12	Pueblo, St. Louis, Kansas City and Wichita	9:25 am
10	Canon City, Pueblo, St. Louis and Kansas City	1:35 pm
4	Pacific Coast and Salt Lake	3:45 pm
2	Pacific Coast and Salt Lake	5:45 pm

Trains to Manitou:		Ar. from Manitou:	
41	7:30 am	42	8:25 am
43	11:00 am	44	11:25 am
45	4:30 pm	46	5:00 pm

SANTA FE

Union Station, East Pikes Peak Avenue. Corrected to November 8, 1914.

COLORADO SPRINGS TO DENVER.

No.	Leave Colorado Springs	Arrive Denver
7	6:05 am	7:00 am
5	7:30 am	10:00 am
607	11:40 am	2:15 pm
11	3:15 pm	5:30 pm
3	7:00 pm	9:20 pm

DENVER TO COLORADO SPRINGS.

No.	Leave Denver	Arrive Colo. Springs
12	9:00 am	11:40 am
3	12:15 pm	2:45 pm
610	3:30 pm	6:15 pm
6	7:45 pm	10:20 pm
4	11:30 pm	2:00 am

EASTBOUND AND CALIFORNIA.

No.		
8	To Pueblo	2:05 am
14	Kansas City and Chicago	11:45 am
610	Kansas City and Chicago, California Limited connection	6:30 pm
6	Kansas City and Chicago	10:30 pm

C. C. HOYT, City Passenger Agent. Phone Main 162.

COLORADO & SOUTHERN LINES

119 East Pikes Peak Avenue. Phone Main 164. Effective November 8, 1914.

NORTHBOUND

No.		Leave
7	For Denver from Texas and the Gulf	4:05 am
5	For Denver, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis, north and west, Puget Sound, California	7:25 am
607	For Denver, Omaha, Chicago and East, De Lux for California	11:40 am
11	For Denver	3:15 pm
3	For Denver, Kansas City, St. Joseph, St. Louis, Omaha, Chicago and East	7:00 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

No.		Leave
8	For Texas, Louisiana, Florida and Gulf Coast Points	2:05 am
12	For Pueblo	11:45 am
2	Pueblo and Trinidad Fast Mail	3:00 pm
610	For Pueblo	6:30 pm
6	For Pueblo	10:30 pm

G. H. LOGAN, Commercial Agent.

ROCK ISLAND LINES

Effective Sunday, November 29.

No.	LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS.	
8	Rocky Mountain Limited for Omaha and Chicago	9:45 am
10	Colorado Flyer for Kansas City and St. Louis	1:00 pm
6	Eastern Express for Omaha, Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis	9:00 pm
3	For Pueblo	3:00 am
	ARRIVE IN COLORADO SPRINGS.	
5	From Pueblo	8:35 am
5	Colorado Express from Chicago, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis	7:30 am
9	Colorado Flyer from Kansas City and St. Louis	11:20 am
7	Rocky Mountain Limited from Chicago and Omaha	2:15 pm
6	From Pueblo	8:40 pm

E. S. TORRINGTON, City Passenger Agt., 8 East Pikes Peak Avenue.

COLORADO MIDLAND

(MIDLAND ROUTE)

121 East Pikes Peak Ave. Phone 376. All trains arrive at and depart from Santa Fe-Colorado Midland station, East Pikes Peak avenue.

No.		
5	For Leadville, Aspen, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Salt Lake and Pacific Coast	12:20 pm
11	For Victor & Cripple Creek	6:55 pm
6	From Grand Junction, Glenwood, Leadville	6:50 am
8	From Cripple Creek, Victor	11:05 am

THE CRIPPLE CREEK TRIP

Effective November 8, 1914.

3	Daily—Leave Colo. Springs	11:50 am
	Arrive Cripple Creek	2:35 pm
4	Daily—Leave Cripple Creek	4:05 pm
	Arrive Colorado Springs	6:50 pm

All trains arrive and depart from the Santa Fe-Colorado & Southern station, Colorado Springs.

MISSOURI PACIFIC

Effective Nov. 8, 1914.
City Ticket Office, 123 E. Pikes Peak Ave. Phone Main 96.

Arrive		Depart
9:15 a	St. Louis, Sedalia, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth, Wichita and Hot Springs, Ark., daily	6:10 pm
1:00 p	Fast Mail, St. Louis, Hot Springs, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison Leavenworth	9:00 pm

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands, $7.50.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Co.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec.	7.04	7.07	7.04	7.04
Jan.	7.19	7.19	7.14	7.14
Mar.	7.38	7.39	7.32	7.33
May	7.56	7.58	7.51	7.51
July	7.75	7.75	7.67	7.67
Oct.	8.00	8.00	7.92	7.92

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